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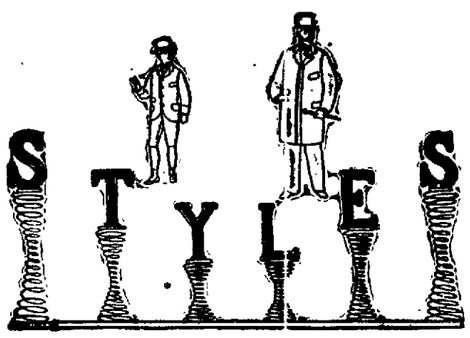

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Monday morning, May 1, we place on sale:

298	Wool Dress Patterns, all complete,	$2.98,	worth up to	$ 5.00
275	" " " " "	3.98,	" "	6.00
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286	" " " " "	5.98,	" "	10.00
25	pieces black and colored Henriettas,	23c,	well worth 30 and	35c
31	" " " " "	32c,	" "	45c
29	" " " " "	47c,	" "	65c
22	" " " " Serges.	47c,	" "	65c
12	" " 46 in. silk finish Henriettas,	75c,	well worth $1.25.	
40	pieces Novelty Dress Goods, 58c, sold regularly at 85c.			
28	" Surah Silks, 48c, regular price, 65c.			
26	" " " 63c, " "	85c and $1.00.		
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12	" Faille Francaise Silks,	85c,	" "	1.25.
7	" Satin Rhadame "	85c,	" "	1.19.
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50	pieces Deca Cloth, 12½c, worth 15c.	
55	" Shantong Pongee, 12½c, worth 15c.	
18	" Black Brocade Satines, 25c, worth 30 and 35c.	
22	" Satine Jacquard, 15c, worth 25 and 35c.	
24	" Heavy Penange, 10c, worth 15c.	
12	" English Penange, 15c, worth 25c.	
100	" pretty, stylish Dress Ginghams, 8½c, worth 12½c.	
74	" " fine " " 10c, " 15c.	
54	" " French Dress Ginghams, 12½c, worth 20c.	
100	" pretty Outing Flannels, 5c, worth 8½c.	
68	" " " " 10c, worth 15c.	
21	" pretty Silkolene, 15c, worth 25c.	

● OUR WHITE GOODS DEPARTMENT ●

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25	pieces pretty Novelties at 10c, regular price, 15c.	
24	" pretty Novelties at 12½c, regular price, 18c.	
31	" pretty Novelties at 15c, regular price, 20 and 25c.	

CARPETS.

Our third invoice of New Carpets are now on sale. We have lots of choice Carpets to show you at Very Low Prices. See them.

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THE NEWS OF THE DAY

Mysterious Suicide of Charles S. Rogers, of Minneapolis.

THE NATIONAL EDITORIAL ASSOCIATION

Sunday Opening Postponed for a Week—The Terre Haute Post Office Matter—Theodore Thomas will Capitulate—Beat the Record.

ST. PAUL, Minn., May 19.—As far as can be learned by way of identification Mr. Chas. S. Rogers, president of the Northwestern cordage works, committed suicide this afternoon shortly after 2 o'clock by jumping off the high bridge.

Mr. Rogers left home early this morning, and has not returned. He usually comes home to dinner, but failed to do so to-day, and has not appeared at his office.

About 2 o'clock this afternoon a boy named J. M. Kart was crossing the high bridge when a man drove up and stopped him. "I want you to take this horse and buggy home for me," he said quietly. The man handed him a paper on which was written, "C. S. Rogers, 419 Grove street." He also handed him a letter addressed to "Chas. S. Rogers, President Northwestern Cordage Co." The man then got out of the buggy, and without a moment's warning stepped to the railing and jumped into the air, descending to the water of the river, a distance of about 150 feet.

Thus far no trace of the remains has been found, though a large number of men are now on the river in boats searching for the body.

It is not thought that Mr. Rogers had been involved in any financial difficulties, and it is believed that a fit of temporary insanity caused him to commit suicide. Mr. Rogers was one of the leading business men of this city, and was well-to-do financially. He was a son-in-law of Mr. E. F. Drake, one of the wealthiest men of the city.

LATER.

The boy Karl now says that the suicide told him previous to turning over the buggy that his name was O. S. Rogers.

The National Editorial Association.

CHICAGO, May 20.—The National Editorial association yesterday decided to hold its next annual meeting in Asbury Park, N. J.

The first thing on yesterday's programme was a paper by Ewing Herbert, of Kansas, on "The Chief End of a Newspaper," in which Mr. Herbert related the various replies he had received from experienced journalists to his queries. Those ranged from "bankruptcy" to "create patriotism and glorify man, as religion glorifies God."

Joseph M. Chappie, of Ashland, Wis., read a paper on "Newspaper Annuals," and W. E. Pabor, of Florida, read the poem, "A Drop of Ink Makes Millions Think."

The committee on credentials then made a preliminary report establishing the possibility of a roll call. Other committees reported, and then a vote was taken on the next annual meeting place. Out of a total vote of 266, Asbury Park received 186 2-3; Florida, 83⅓, and Asheville, N. C., 31⅓. The delegation from North Carolina moved to make the vote unanimous, which was done by acclamation.

The reports of the appropriation committee and of the treasurer were then presented and the meeting adjourned.

Sunday Opening Postponed for One Week.

CHICAGO, May 20.—Sunday opening of the World's fair has been postponed for a week. The local directors held a meeting last evening at which it was decided to close the fair next Sunday in order to give the national commission sufficient time to take action on the new Sunday-opening rule, which was submitted to that body yesterday.

While the local directors are anxious to have the sanction of the national commission in opening the exposition on the first day of the week, it was apparent from their expressions at last evening's meeting that unless the courts interfere the great show will open May 28, regardless of any action the national commission may take. The great public which has been clamoring so loudly for Sunday opening is becoming impatient with the delay, and it is not improbable that some difficulty will be experienced in keeping the people out of the grounds next Sunday.

The Terre Haute Post Office Matter.

TERRE HAUTE, May 20.—Theodore Roosevelt, of the national civil-service commission, came to town yesterday morning, went to the bottom of the post office sensation and left for Washington at noon, before the interested parties could catch their breath. He heard the story of the removal of Postmaster Breiver, the postponement of the civil-service examination to enable Donham to get his appointment before it had taken place, with the object of evading the civil-service law. Donham's carriers quit yesterday afternoon. They told the postmaster they had grown tired of following the regular men around, and that they were being made the laughing-stock of the town.

Theodore Thomas Will Capitulate.

CHICAGO, May 20.—Up to last night Theodore Thomas had made no statement to Director General Davis to the letter requesting his resignation from the musical bureau of the World's fair. He has consulted with certain members of the local directory, however, and expressed a willingness if the directors so desire to select for future concerts only such artists as are willing to use instruments, as are manufactured by exhibitors.

No formal action has been taken by the directors but the sentiment among them seems to be in favor, not only of retaining Mr. Thomas, but of leaving him entirely free to arrange the programme as he chooses.

Beat the Record.

NEW YORK, May 20.—The Hamburg-American liner Normania, which arrived yesterday morning from Southampton, made the passage in 6 days and 16 hours, beating her best previous record, made in May, 1891, forty-five minutes. The Feurst Bismarck, of the same line, however, still holds the record of 6 days, 11 hours and 45 minutes.

BASEBALL.

National League and American Association Clubs.

The following games were played yesterday:

AT ST. LOUIS.

St. Louis	0	1	2	0	0	1	3	0	0	—7
Pittsburghs	0	0	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	—4

Batteries—Clarkson, Hawley and Peltz; Killen and Miller

AT BOSTON.

Brooklyns	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	1—5
Bostons	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	1	0 0—4

Batteries—Stein and Daily; Stivetts and Gancell.

AT PHILADELPHIA.

Baltimores	1	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	—4
Philadelphias	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	—3

Batteries—McNabb and Clark; Wehying and Clements.

AT NEW YORK.

New Yorks	2	2	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0—	9
Washingtons	2	1	1	0	2	0	1	0	0	0—	7

Batteries—King and Doyle; Esper and McGuire.

AT CLEVELAND.

Clevelands	2	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	1—	10
Cincinnatis	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0—	5

Batteries—Clarkson and Zimmer; Darby and Vaughn.

Games Scheduled for To-Day.

Brooklyns at Boston.
Baltimores at Philadelphia.
Washingtons at New York.
Pittsburghs at St. Louis.
Cincinnatis at Cleveland.
Louisvilles at Chicago.

Southern League Games.

At Birmingham—Birminghams, 7; Charlestons, 3.
At Nashville—Nashvilles, 3; Augustas, 1.
At Montgomery—Atlantas, 4; Montgomerys, 3.
At Memphis—Memphis, 9; Savannahs, 1.

RUN DOWN AND KILLED

With a Complete Burglar's Outfit Upon His Person.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., May 20.—Charles Mylan was run down by a train and killed at Thirty-third street last Wednesday. The body was examined at the morgue, and a revolver, mask and burglar's complete outfit were found. When killed Mylan was accompanied by his brother and a man whose name is not known. Yesterday morning B. G. Mylan (the brother) was placed under arrest in the office of Supt. Pitcairn of the Pennsylvania railroad, where he had gone to ask for transportation for himself and brother to their home in Heresville, Lancaster county.

The evidence secured is to the effect that the men are members of a gang of thieves that have been operating along the line of the Pittsburgh, Virginia & Charleston railway for several months. The gang has been bold to a remarkable degree. Mylan was identified by the trainmen, and upon his person was found a watch the property of a brakeman. He was locked up on seven charges of highway robbery. Mylan refuses to talk. Detectives are hunting for the missing companion of Mylan, and more sensational developments are expected.

Capt. Carpenter Enjoined.

WASHINGTON, May 20.—A telegram has been received at the war department from Gen. Ruger, commanding the department of California, repeating a dispatch he received from Capt. Carpenter, the officer who was sent to the Puyallup Indian reservation to prevent Mr. Ross from unlawfully building a railroad across the reservation, stating that an injunction had been served upon him by the circuit court preventing him from interfering with Ross.

Secretary Lamont referred the matter to the attorney-general, giving a history of the case and the appearance of troops and requesting him to have the United States district attorney defend the officer. The case will be heard at Seattle to-day.

Germany is Aghast.

BERLIN, May 20.—The firm of which the late Baron Bleichroder, the famous financier and friend of Prince Bismarck, was the chief, and which still holds a leading place in German finance, states, in an interview, that Germany is aghast at the falling prices in America. It was expected that an increase of business and a consequent rise of prices would follow the opening of the Chicago World's fair. The only apparant reason, the firm states, for the bad condition of affairs in America is the unsettled condition of the silver question, and the absence in America of a state bank similar to that of Germany.

Protests Against Sunday Opening.

NEW YORK, May 20.—The general synod of the Reformed Presbyterian church continued its session yesterday morning. The attendance was small, and the morning was chiefly occupied by hearing an address by Dr. Knowles, secretary of the American Sabbath union, protesting against the opening of the World's fair on Sundays. Delegates were present from Ohio, Philadelphia, Pittsburgh, Illinois, Wisconsin, Colorado and Indiana.

The Long Strike of Union Dock Laborers at Hull Ended.

HULL, May 20.—The union dock laborers of Hull have ratified the agreement to resume work upon the terms arranged at the conference yesterday, and they will go back to work on Tuesday next. This brings to an end the long struggle, begun on April 7, over the refusal of the Wilson line to discharge nonunion dock laborers and employ only members of the union.

Totally Destroyed by Fire.

CLEVELAND, O., May 20.—Fire started in the shops of the Kingbridge Iron Co. last night and totally destroyed shop No 1. Shop No. 2 was partly destroyed. Loss, $150,000; insurance, $100,000.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

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TRADE AND FINANCE.

The Business of the Week: and the Outlook,

ACCORDING TO DUN & CO.'S REPORT.

Weekly Statements of Clearing-House Returns from the Leading Money Centers of the Country, as Reported by Bradstreet's.

Weekly Statements From the Leading Clearing Houses.

NEW YORK, May 20.—The following table, compiled by Bradstreet's, gives the clearing house returns for the week ending May 18, 1893, and the percentage of increase or decrease as compared with the corresponding week last year:

CLEARING HOUSES.	Amount.	Per Cent. Inc.	Dec.
New York	$ 709,624,986		6 4
Chicago	104,754,519	6.3	
Boston	99,754,249		
Philadelphia	79,474,428	9.8	
St. Louis	23,236,705	17.9	
San Francisco	17,242,576	3 8	
Baltimore	14,396,281		9 5
Pittsburgh	15,879,729	5.1	
Cincinnati	13,261,050		9.5
Kansas City	11,197,827	31.7	
New Orleans	9,483,142	30.2	
Minneapolis	6,919,862	2 20	
Buffalo	8,552,309	5.6	
Louisville	7,570,993		8.8
Detroit	7,817,262	13.2	
Milwaukee	9,814,152	46 1	
Cleveland	6,699,954	18.8	
Omaha	6,745,589	8.5	
Providence	6,355,900	8 8	
Denver	5,175,948	2 4	
St. Paul	4,561,471	9 1	
Indianapolis	4,001,266	4 9	
Columbus, O	4,360,600		10.2
Houston	4,774,181	71 6	
Memphis	1,600,683		22 2
Richmond	2,439,923		1.8
Hartford	2,452,845		1.8
Portland, Ore	2,371,439	18 5	
Washington	2,418,981	15 2	
Dallas	1,966,325	5.4	
Peoria	1,724,403		18.3
Savannah	1,586,579	1.7	
Nashville	1,195,213		33 8
Salt Lake City	1,324,493		21.5
St. Joseph	2,027,850		25.9
Duluth	2,437,060	44 2	
Rochester	1,022,907		10.7
Atlanta	1,123,526		16.6
New Haven	1,024,372	8.2	
Springfield, Mass	1,024,577	29.5	
Worcester	1,402,729	11.1	
Portland, Me	1,365,585	36.0	
Fort Worth	1,189,303		5.8
Seattle	1,285,988	40.7	
Waco	1,168,843	74.7	
Grand Rapids	1,061,930	4.0	
Los Angeles	1,115,171	46.8	
Syracuse	1,127,094	7.1	
Spokane	1,180,856		
Sioux City	936,068		4 2
Des Moines	935,034	1.0	
Norfolk	907,003		6.2
Wilmington (Del.)	837,422		5.7
Tacoma	871,829	23 7	
Helena	847,323	10 4	
Lowell	754,819		13.3
Lincoln	440,711		20.0
Wichita	533,107	3.5	
Birmingham	595,922		10.9
Lexington	411,628		18.1
New Bedford	548,702	34 3	
Topeka	427,925	33 4	
Binghamton	327,300	8.1	
Saginaw	399,528		
Jacksonville	419,538		
Great Falls	306,338		
Fall River	899,034		
Albuquerque	107,394		
Charleston	1,022,614		
Sioux Falls	152,538		
Akron, O	296,199		
Springfield, O	217,026		
Bay City	305,103		
Chattanooga	483,231		
Emporia (Kan.)	45,528		
Hastings	78,591		
Hutchinson	98,677		
Galveston	4,940,115	82.5	
Totals United States	$1,221,547,406		1.2
Cities exclusive of New York	$520,622,526	6 3	
Dominion of Canada—			
Montreal	$11,945,680	18 1	
Toronto	9,497,840		8.2
Halifax	1,296,952	24.3	
Hamilton	716,390	11 0	
Totals	$19,026,262	5.8	

The Week's Business and the Outlook, as Reported by R. G. Dun & Co.

NEW YORK, May 20.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s weekly review of trade, published this morning, says:

Stocks rally from extreme depression, but business shows no substantial improvement. The distribution of products to final consumers is rather less encouraging, though the weather has been generally more favorable and at some points helps retail trade. Wholesale business and production showed this week more hesitation with regard to the crops next fall, the possibilities of tariff changes and money uncertainties. Some large failures and many of minor importance show the effects of increasing stringency in the money market, and while money is comparatively easy here the pressure at other points has increased. Almost everywhere collections are slow and doubtful about the future effects of new undertakings, although the present volume of trade, based upon past orders, is remarkably large. The treasury is in a stronger position than for some weeks past, but exports in gold have not notably increased.

At Boston boots and shoes are more active, and larger orders are seen for rubber goods, while lumber is in strong demand. At Philadelphia hardware is active and trade in groceries fair. Baltimore reports trade in woolens backward; in boots and shoes slow. Iron is weaker at Pittsburgh; coal and glass fair. At Cincinnati collections are slow and money in demand. Trade at Cleveland is generally dull. The monetary situation is improved at Indianapolis, banks being in good condition, but at Detroit jobbing trade is 5 to 10 per cent. smaller than last year, though manufacturers are at work full time and money is easier. Chicago reports improved retail and satisfactory wholesale trade, with liquidation and lower prices for local securities and slow collections. Trade in real estate is smaller by 40 per cent., and receipts of nearly all products show a decrease of from 18 to 60 per cent. compared with last year, though flour, wheat and oats increase. Eastbound rail shipments are larger, but wheat is at the lowest price for thirty years. In Milwaukee trade improves, but money is tight. At St. Louis trade is very satisfactory. At Kansas City trade is fair in drygoods, shoes and groceries; slow in farm implements, with money close. At St. Joseph trade is improving with fair collections, but at Denver business is slow. At Louisville the money market improves, though collections are slow. At Little Rock money is tight and trade dull. At Knoxville trade is sluggish and collections backward. At Memphis trade is quiet, and at Nashville somewhat better, with increased confidence, though money is close. At Augusta there is no improvement. At Columbus trade is a little off and money tight, but at Atlanta business is satisfactory and collections good. At Charleston trade in groceries is fair, but other trade dull, collections good, but money in demand. New Orleans reports quiet trade, with much apprehension of floods, cotton depressed, sugar weaker, and money increasing in demand.

The failures for the week number 207 in the United States, against 199 for the same week last year, and 14 in Canada, against 23 last year.

To be Taken with Caution.

NEW YORK, May 20.—The officials of the Hamburg-American Packet Co. have received a dispatch to the effect that the report of a case of cholera at Schiffbeck, some distance from Hamburg, was erroneous. The disease, it is stated, proved not to be cholera.

A Leader.

Since its first introduction, Electric Bitters has gained rapidly in popular favor, until now it is closely in the lead among pure medicinal tonics and alteratives—containing nothing which permits its use as a beverage or stimulant, it is recognized as the best and purest medicine for all ailments of Stomach, Liver or Kidneys.—It will cure Sick headache, Indigestion, Constipation, and drive Malaria from the system. Satisfaction guaranteed with each bottle or the money will be refunded. Price only 50c per bottle. Sold by King & Wood druggists.

Hunter Queen believes we have seen the worst of the financial crisis, and that [illegible]

THE CHURCHES TO-MORROW.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH.

Cor. N. Water and E. North streets. Charles F. Turner, pastor. Bible school at 9:30 a. m. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6:30 p. m. Morning subject: "Some Things We May Know Along God's Gifts to Men." Evening: "Hunting a Heretic, and What Came of It."

Township Sunday school convention at the East Park Chapel at 2 p. m.

CUMBERLAND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

North Main street, over Women's Bookstore. Rev. R. R. Evans, pastor. Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. Services at 11:00 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday, 7:30 p. m. Y. P. S. C. E., Sunday, 7:30 p. m. You are welcome.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

W. H. Peshallegue, D. D., pastor. Services at 10:45 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Morning subject: "The Rainbow Round the Throne." Evening: "A Mysterious Tree in the Wilderness." The Modern Woodmen will attend this service in a body. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Intermediate Christian Endeavor, 7:00 p. m. Strangers and others not worshiping elsewhere cordially invited.

COLLEGE STREET CHAPEL.

Sunday school at 3 p. m., E. G. Wells, Supt.

WESTMINSTER CHAPEL.

Corner of Macon street and Haworth avenue. Sunday school at 2 p. m., E. J. Simpson, Supt.

Y. M. C. A.

The gospel service will be held in the rooms over Cheap Charley's at 3:30 p. m. L. Barnard will conduct the meeting; subject, "Sewing and Reaping" All men are invited to attend.

CHURCH OF GOD.

Corner of North Water and Cerro Gordo streets. Rev. C. P. Rogers, pastor. Preaching at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 2 p. m. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6:30 p. m.

W. C. T. U.

Services in Library Block, entrance on Main street, at 3:30 p. m. Elder C. P. Rogers of the Church of God will give the address. Mrs. C. C. Hill organist.

U. B. CENTENARY CHURCH.

456 North Broadway. J. A. F. King, pastor. Class meeting at 9:30 a. m. Preaching at 10:30 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. by the pastor. Sabbath school at 2:30 p. m.

FREE METHODIST CHURCH.

At the Wikoff Hall on East Williams street. Sabbath school at 9:30 a. m. Preaching at 10:30 a. m. Class meeting at 11:30 a. m. Preaching and revival services at 7:30 p. m. Revival services Thursday evening at 7:45. All are invited to attend. Wiley Johnson, pastor.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.

Northwest corner Church and Eldorado S's. Rev. W. C. Miller, pastor. Preaching services at 10:45 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m., E. F. Irving, supt. Christian Endeavor meeting at 6:30 p. m. Preaching by the pastor. Morning subject: "The Better Testament." Evening: "The Angel and the Sun." The orchestra will play in the evening.

FIRST ENGLISH EVNG. LUTHERAN.

Rev. M. L. Wagner, pastor. Services 10:30 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Preaching by the pastor. In the evening a children's mission service will be held, the offerings to be devoted to the home mission work. Sunday school at 9:15 a. m.

MACEDONIAN BAPTIST CHURCH.

South Broadway. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by Bro. Lang of Peoria, Ill.

GRACE M. E. CHURCH.

Rev. H. H. Quaid, D. D., pastor. Preaching at 10:30 a. m. by Rev. Dr. Jesse B. Young of St. Louis. At 7:30 p. m. a platform meeting will be addressed by Mrs. Stalford, Will Shakharger and Dr. Young. The services of the day and evening will be specially interesting. Sunday school at 2 p. m.

Mission Sunday school, 9 a. m., corner North Broadway and Herkimer Sts.

SAINT JOHN'S CHURCH.

Rev. M. M. Goodwin, Rector. Sunday school, 9:30 a. m. Sermon and Holy Communion, 10:30 a. m. Evening prayer and sermon, 7:30 p. m.

GRACE CHURCH.

Rev. F. H. Burrell, missionary. Morning prayer, 11 a. m. Sunday school, 2:30 p. m. Evening prayer, 7:30 p. m.

FIRST M. E. CHURCH.

Rev. T. A. Parker, pastor. Services morning and evening at 10:30 and 7:45 o'clock. Morning subject: "The Ascension of Christ." In the evening the third sermon on "Scenes in the Life of Christ;" subject: "The Wine Miracle. "Class meeting at 9 a. m. Junior Endeavor at 3:00 p. m. Intermediate Endeavor at 6:45 p. m. Cordial welcome to all the services.

SARGENT'S CHAPEL.

South Broadway Sunday school at 2 p. m. Preaching at 3:30 p. m. by Evangelist G. N. Miller.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH.

Rev. Simon Rohrer, pastor. Subject of morning discourse: "If." For the evening: "What is to Be Will Be." Sunday school at 2 p. m. Strangers in the city are invited to worship with us.

"Royal Ruby" Port Wine.

If you are reduced in vitality or strength by illness or any other cause, we recommend the use of this Old Port Wine, the very blood of the grape. A grand tonic for nursing mothers, and those reduced by wasting disease. It creates strength, improves the appetite; nature's own remedy, much preferable to drugs; guaranteed absolutely pure and over five years of age. Young wine ordinarily sold is not fit to use. Insist on having this standard brand, it costs no more. $1 in quart bottles, pints 60 cts. Bottled by Royal Wine Co., Chicago. For sale by Dr. A. J. Stoner.

SAYS Congressman W. Bourke Cockran to a reporter: "I have never had anything to do with patronage and there is not to-day a single man in this city occupying office through my recommendation.

ARE YOU THINKING

Of what you ought to take with you when you go to the World's Fair? Your outfit will not be complete without a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. The change of water and diet, fatigue and irregular habits, during your trip are almost certain to produce diarrhoea and a dose or two of this remedy may save you serious sickness and perhaps much expense. Procure it before leaving home. 25 and 50 cent bottles for sale by W. F. Neisler, Library Block Druggist. d&w

REPRESENTATIVE BAILEY of Texas will no longer be the "youngest man in congress." That distinction will be vested hereafter in Thomas Settle of North Carolina, who is 23.

HERE IS SOMETHING GOOD FOR YOUR RHEUMATIC FRIENDS.

If any of your friends are troubled with rheumatism have them read this.

Lynchburg, Va., April 18, 1893.

I desire to say that Chamberlain's Pain Balm has cured one of our citizens of rheumatism of two years' standing. One bottle did the work. This gentleman, Mr. R. H. Parnell, ticket agent of the O. & O. R. R., now recommends Pain Balm to all his friends. F. C. Heinig, 50 cent bottles for sale by W. F. Neisler, Library Block Druggist. d&w

WE should not recommend a medicine without true merit. DeWitt's Sarsaparilla is considered a superior remedy for blood diseases by those who have used it. W. F. Neisler.

THE baptism of Baby Grubb at Burlington, N. J., was the most resplendent ceremony in the social annals of that Jersey town.

THE Pope's handwriting is clear, delicate and upright, and is more the calligraphy of a poet than that of a churchman.

Executors' Notice.

Estate of Mahlon Haworth, Deceased.

The undersigned hereby have qualified executors of the estate of Mahlon Haworth, late of the county of Macon and state of Illinois, deceased, hereby give notice that they will appear before the county court of Macon county, at the court house in Decatur, at the July term, on the first Monday in July next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 16th day of May, 1893.

ALEXANDER L. HAWORTH.
GEORGE D. HAWORTH.
KILBURN M. RUBY.

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C. M. LANE,
Law Office,
123 North Water. NOTARY PUBLIC.
May 16-d3t

WANTED—Good strong girl to work along [illegible]

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

The REPUBLICAN is indebted for daily market reports and gossip given by B. E. Taylor, who fills all orders promptly by direct wire.

CHICAGO, Ill., May 20, 1893.

ARTICLES.	Op'g	High'st	Lowest	Closing
WHEAT—				
May	71⅛	71⅛	71	71
July	74⅝	74⅝	73⅞	73⅞
Sep	77⅝	77⅝	77	77
CORN—				
May	41⅝	41⅝	41⅜	41⅝
July	42⅛	42⅛	41⅝	41⅝
Sep	43	43	42⅝	42⅞
OATS—				
May	29⅝	29⅝	29⅛	29⅛
July	29⅞	29⅞	29⅛	29⅛
Sept	28⅝	28⅝	28⅛	28⅛
PORK—				
May	.....	.....	.....	.....
July	21 85	21 90	21 80	21 85
Sep	21 85	21 90	21 80	21 80
LARD—				
May	.....	.....	.....	.....
July	10 85	10 90	10 75	10 75
Sep	11 10	11 15	10 97	10 97
RIBS—				
May	.....	.....	.....	.....
July	10 20	10 25	10 20	10 25
Sep	10 40	10 45	10 35	10 35

TO-DAY'S RECEIPTS—CAR LOTS.

Wheat, all grades, 160; Contract, 82.
Corn, all grades, 330; Contract, 127.
Oats, all grades, 202; Contract, 57.

LIVE STOCK RECEIPTS.

Hogs 75,000; 5c higher $7.40 to $7.60.
Cattle 500, strong.

Wheat opened strong but soon became weak, closing about ½c lower. Corn declined ¼c, oats ⅛c. Markets all soft and lower, too much sunshine for bulls.

Puts on July wheat	72⅝
Calls " " "	74⅝
Puts " May corn	40⅞
Calls " "	41⅜

Curb, July wheat 72⅞; July corn 41⅝.

ESTIMATES FOR TO-MORROW.

Wheat, 155; Corn, 300; Oats, 290.
Hogs 20,000.

LOGAN LETTER.

The REPUBLICAN is indebted to J. T. Roberts, dealer in grain, provisions and stocks, with correspondents in Chicago, New York, Minneapolis and St. Louis, for the following F. G. Logan & Co.'s market letter received over the Roberts private wire:

CHICAGO, Ill., May 20, 1893.

We have had a dull market from the opening until the close. We get no improved reports on the growing winter crops but the reports from the spring districts are good. Future values, we think, must be higher but it may not come until after the winter crop is secured. The exports, 2,900,000 for the week, are good. The visible supply Monday, should show a good 3 million decrease.

Corn in sympathy with wheat sold lower. The prospects of better receipts helped the decline.

Oats dull. The reports of the growing crop good.

Hog market quiet with very few transactions. Receipts for next week 100,000.

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A Fair Skin, FREE FROM PIMPLES, BOILS, Blotches, RASH,

Or any other defect, originating in

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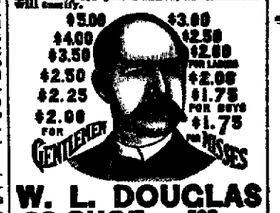

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If of your druggist to-day use it and you may

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WE HAVE A full and complete line of JUNIOR SUITS for Children from 3 7, with Blouse Waists to match.

WE HAVE An All Wool, flat bound, genuine black Clay Worsted Cutaway Frock and Sack Suits, for $16 50, which we absolutely guarantee in every particular. A great bargain.

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WE HAVE The most complete line of clothing in the city—barring none.

WE HAVE The facilities for buying as close as any one, and backed by years of experience, are able to G

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Large Variety in Attractive Patterns.

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Carpets of as many grades as there are kinds, and as many prices as there are grades, from the much talked of Moquet, Axminster and Wilton, to the less elegant 22c Union 1 grain or the 15c Hemps.

CURTAINS—Chenille and Lace.

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All of the above under value, and for less money than you can buy the same quality elsewhere.

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Are you going to get married and go to housekeeping? If so you will surely need

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If you have been keeping house and have struggled through the weary days of house cleaning you surely have found a nook or corner in which you can place an odd piece of

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—Whether single or married when in need of—

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DAILY REPUBLICAN.

[illegible] W. R. CALHOUN. [illegible] & CALHOUN, Prop'rs. DECATUR, ILLINOIS.

Entered at the Post Office at Decatur, Illinois as second class matter.

SATURDAY EVE., MAY 20, 1893.

ILLINOIS' governor has earned the distinction of having two Democrats of his own appointment resign from the board of trustees of an insane asylum rather than prostitute the institution to further his political schemes.

THE present state administration is getting ready to give the people of this state some of the worst scandals connected with the state charitable institutions that any state has ever been disgraced with, Indiana not excepted.

IT is bad enough to base a man's qualifications for office on his religion, but it is infinitely worse to base a man's qualifications to conduct the intricate and scientific affairs of our state institutions upon a man partisan affiliation as Governor Altgeld is doing.

THE Republicans of the house defeated the scheme of the late reformers to appropriate $10,000 for the attorney general to hire lawyers with. If the Democratic attorney general is not lawyer enough to try cases for the state as Republican attorney generals have done he ought to resign and go back to LaSalle county where he evidently belongs.

IT would be in order for minister Blount to send Claus Spreckels to President Cleveland as a "My Special Commissioner." If this were done there would be no danger of the president refusing him admission. Spreckels can interest Mr. Cleveland more than the Democrats he refuses to admit to his presence.

INTER *Ocean:* If a Republican president had ever gone into the White house and closed the doors and assaed the men who made him from an upper window he would have gone into "innocuous desuetude." The talk about no time for business is nonsense. Lincoln and Grant and Arthur and Harrison attended to outside business, but they still found time to be civil to their friends and to the people of every class.

THERE has been war among the fair women of the Woman' World's Fair Congress, which required all the skill of smooth-smiling Mr. Bonney, the president, to settle. By some means Mrs. Sewell, of Indiana, secured the adoption of an order excluding Mrs. Helen Gougar from participating in, or being recognized, in any way by the congress. This, of course, was not agreeable to Mrs. Gougar and her friends and matters at once assumed a sanguinary hue. Mrs. Sewall had business out west and Mr. Bonney removed the Gougar embargo and now the "sun do move" once more.

THE laboring people of Decatur will remember that when Governor Altgeld spoke in Decatur he had a great deal to say about the penitentiary contracts for making barrels in the Joliet penitentiary. He left the impression that he belived it was all wrong and antagonistic to the interests of labor, and that were he governor he would put a stop to that kind of business. But it may surprise those laboringmen to know that a delegation from the coopers' union paid their good money for car fare to get to Springfield to see the governor and protest against the manufacture of barrels in the penitentiary. The governor evidently was playing the demagogue when he was making speeches and did not mean what he was saying, but did it for the sole purpose of deception in order to get votes; or else he has found out since he became governor that his charges made against Governor Fifer's administration touching this prison barrel business were unjust, and that he is unable to make the changes he promised. No matter which horn of the dilemma he seizes, in either case he has been dishonest. The worst feature of Altgeld's election is the fact that he has three and one-half years to serve yet.

More Important Than the Tariff.

During the campaign last fall a more devoted set of Democratic tariff reformers could not be found than those in Coles county. To them the very thought of the "infamous McKinley law" aroused their righteous souls to the highest point of indignation. They professed to hate it as the religious devotee hates Satan and sin, and outwardly they made war upon it with an apparent unselfishness that was commendable to the "tax-ridden" denizens of the Embarras and Kickapoo bottoms. A declaration that the tariff is a tax, raised a shout in the reform camp that made the shouts of the faithful who gathered in those bot oms to resist the draft and cripple the government during the war, pale into insignificance.

It has been said by some irreverant person, that the best way to modify, if not entirely dissipate, a shout at a campmeeting is to take up a collection, and the same rule seems to have held good as to those political shouters in Coles county. The election over, the Democrats successful, with the responsibilities which follow success, to put in practice the ante-election promises, their great zeal for tariff reform ceased, and, instead of continuing the war on the tariff, their energy was at once employed in deciding who should hold the offices, and the war for the spoils of the camp was at once instituted and every one of these enthusiastic patriots is now engaged in looking for the "goodly Babylonish garment and the wedge of gold" about the tents of Achan.

Some idea of the fury of the war may be had from the following, which appears in the Charleston *Daily News*.

This postoffice farce has gone on quite long enough. The people of Charleston are quite ready to meet in mass convention and pass resolutions repudiating Senator Palmer, General Black, Judge Hunter, Colonel Busey, Congressman Fithian and the members of the Illinois legislature. What do the people of Charleston care for any of these men? What interest have these distinguished spoilsmen in the Charleston postoffice? Not one of them is acquainted with over a dozen persons at Charleston and some of them do not know five persons. * *

* As to Palmer, Black, Busey, Hunter and Fithian, the vast majority of our people are down on them for their persistent hail headedness, and not one of them will ever get a delegation from Charleston. The Democrats here feel humiliated to see themselves obliged to do without a postmaster because these political spoilsmen are quarreling over which shall have a hand in the Charleston postoffice. A long suffering people are disgusted and angry unless this postoffice is changed at once. A mass Democratic meeting will be called at the court house, and these senators, congressmen and leading candidates will be denounced and repudiated in scathing resolutions to be forwarded directly to President Cleveland with recommendations for some new candidate.

The abouts for "tariff reform" have ceased, and the horror of the "iniquitous McKinley bill" have been engulfed in a patriotic hunt for office, and the "tax ridden people" have been abandoned. What an ideal Democracy is.

The Income Tax.

The free traders have a good deal to say in favor of raising part of the revenue necessary to support the government from an income tax, but the chances are, judging from past experiences, that such a measure would be very unpopular. Referring to this feature of the free trade notion the St. Louis *Globe-Democrat* says:

In practice taxation of this kind gave great dissatisfaction when it was tried in the war and reconstruction period, and it would be as objectionable and unpopular now. Theoretically it is simple, reasonable and equitable, but when submitted to the practical test of experience it is conspicuously destitute of these qualities. It is cumbersome, unequal and unjust. Men of moderate and easily ascertained salaries are compelled to pay it, while those of large incomes are enabled to dodge it readily and to shift their burdens on their poorer neighbors. In order to collect it from the millionaire dodgers the government had often during the reconstruction era to resort to expensive lawsuits, and sometimes then without success. The income tax puts a premium on rascality and a penalty on honesty. It is inquisorial, costly and offensive. The persons who could afford best to pay it are enabled to evade it easily and always will be. If such a law be enacted the protest it will call out from the people will secure its early repeal. An attempt will undoubtedly be made to pass a bill of this sort and as the Democrats control both branches of Congress there is a chance that it may reach the president.

EASY TO TAKE—Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. Smallest, easiest, cheapest, best. They're tiny, sugar-coated, anti-bilious granules, a compound of refined and concentrated vegetable extracts. Without disturbance or trouble, Constipation, Indigestion, Bilious Attacks, Sick and Bilious Headaches, and all derangements of the liver, stomach, and bowels are prevented, relieved, and cured. *Permanently* cured, too. By their mild and natural action, these little Pellets lead the system into natural ways again. Their influence *lasts*. And they're the *cheapest* pills you can buy, for they're *guaranteed* to give satisfaction in every case, or your money is promptly returned. You pay only for the *good* you get.

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EX-SPEAKER GALUSHA A. GROW of the House of Representatives is a wealthy coal miner on the Ohio river.

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FOR RENT—Two parlors to a club of eight young men; World's Fair purposes; reasonable; near 39th St. Station, I. C. Ry. Cable car, elevated Ry, on lake, few minutes to grounds. Address MRS. K. C. REESE, 3719 Lake Ave., Chicago. 20-d6*

FOR SALE—A physician's operating chair. Clark make, good as new. Call at 941 East Wood street, see the chair and learn price. 19-d6* MRS. H. A. MAILE.

CHAS. G. MORGAN, 753 N. Water street, is having a cut sale in clothing, gent's furnishing goods, hats, caps, etc. Goods must be closed out regardless of price. Take advantage of this sale and secure bargains. may19-d2w

WORLD'S FAIR VISITORS can secure well furnished rooms at 75 cents per day. Clubs of 10 to 16 persons accommodated. All parties met at depots. Only 15 minutes' walk from 57th entrance. References furnished.
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WANTED—A girl to do general housework. Apply to Mrs. T. S. Hoskins, 629 Prairie Avenue. May 15-d3*

FOUND—On West North street, May 12, a pocket-book containing a sum of money which the owner can recover by proving property and paying for this notice. Apply to SILAS PACKARD, 601 College Hill.—15-d6*

REMOVED—W. M. Baldridge & Co. have removed their real estate and insurance office from 148 East Main street to 216 North Main street, over Cool Brow' grocery store. Office hours from 7 30 a. m. to 8.30 p. m. may9-d1f

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We have a beautiful 8 room house on North College street, worth at least $2500, can be bought for $2200, owner leaving town.

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NOTICE—If you want rooms in Chicago during the Fair, write Mrs. John T. Ehrhart, No. 6541 Honore street, or call on George P. Hardy, Decatur, Ill.—16 d2w.

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DANCING.—Prof. Leonard's Orchestra—Prof Leonard, violin and prompter; Miss Eunice Thomas, pianist; flute, cornet and harmonet added if desired. The appropriate music for all the latest dances (not substitute) and the proper tempo will be strictly adhered to. mar30-d1f

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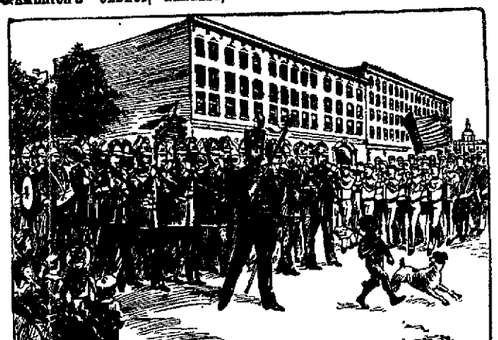

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Cheap Round Trip Excursions on all Railways. See Local Agents for Particulars.

Two Exhibitions Daily. Doors open at 1 and 7 p. m. Performance begins one hour later. For the accommodation of the public, who desire to avoid the crowds on the ground Reserved Seat Tickets can be secured at the OPERA HOUSE PHARMACY at the regular price on the day of exhibition only, admission tickets at the usual slight advance.

JAPANESE PILE CURE

A New and Complete Treatment, consisting of SUPPOSITORIES, Capsules of Ointment and two Boxes of Ointment. A never-failing Cure for Piles of every nature and degree. It makes an operation painless and seldom a permanent cure, and often resulting in death, unnecessary. Why endure this terrible disease? We guarantee 6 boxes to cure any case. You only pay for benefits received. $1 a box, 6 for $5 by mail. Sample free. Guarantees issued by our agents.

CONSTIPATION Cured, Piles Prevented, by Japanese Liver Pellets the great LIVER and STOMACH REGULATOR and BLOOD PURIFIER. Small, mild and pleasant to take, especially adapted for Children's use. 60 doses in a bottle.

GUARANTEES issued only by A. H. BLAINE, Druggist, 229 North Water Street, Decatur, Ill. may15 d&w1yr

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B. L. STERRETT,

ATTORNEY AT LAW.

OFFICE—Over the Postoffice, Decatur, Ill.

Special Assessment Notice.

Public notice is hereby given, that the county court of Macon county, in the state of Illinois, has received judgment for sewer assessments against the property described in the following [illegible] to wit: [illegible] the construction and laying of a sewer in the city of Decatur, in Macon county, in the State of Illinois, commencing at and connecting with the present eighteen inch sewer on West William street, by means of a Y junction at a point opposite the central line of the alley running north and south between North Main street and North Church street, which said sewer is to be constructed from its said beginning point north, on the central line of said alley, to a point eighty (80) feet north of the north line of West North street, together with all connections, junctions, catch basins, man holes, openings and adjuncts pertaining thereto, as will more fully appear from the certified copy of the judgment on file in my office, plans warrants for the collection of such special assessment, is in the hands of the undersigned. All persons interested are hereby notified to call and pay the amount specially assessed at the collector's office, in the court house, in said city, being the city clerk's office, within thirty days from the date hereof.

Dated this 19th day of May A. D. 1893.

may 19-6t L. F. SKELLEY, City Clerk.

Election Notice.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION, DECATUR, ILL., May 16, 1893.

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held at the office of the Decatur Baggage and Transfer Co., on Tuesday, June 6, 1893, for the purpose of electing one member of the Board of Education, to serve for the term of three years. Said election will be opened at 9 o'clock a. m. and close at 7 o'clock p. m. of said day.

D. S. SHERLAMARGER, President.
E. A. GASTMAN, Clerk. may16-d6d

IN THE PUSH TO REACH

SCOVILL

In Sunday's Chicago papers of May 7, the following advertisement for a room was inserted for one issue only:

WANTED—TO RENT—A ROOM FOR TWO persons for a month, give location and terms. G. W. SCOVILL Furniture Dealer, Decatur, Ill.

I have received 960 bona fide answers, all offering to rent rooms. On last Tuesday I received 586 letters and postal cards. I now claim the distinction of having received letters from more different individuals in one day than any other citizen of Decatur.

I also claim the distinction of having the only place in Decatur where you can buy everything to furnish a house.

I also claim to be the first in Decatur to advertise that I would sell Furniture, Carpets, Stoves and all manner of Household Goods on Easy Payments.

I was also first to advertise that I would pay freight on all goods sold outside of Decatur.

Now I say to my friends and customers if you want information about rooms in Chicago, come and look over the long list offered me in 960 different parts of Chicago. It is a large list and I am certain you can be suited; but don't get the list of letters confounded with the 10,000 bargains I have to offer you.

G. W. SCOVILL,

The Complete House Furnisher, on E Z Payments,

211, 213 AND 215 SOUTH SIDE CITY PARK

NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
MACON COUNTY.

In the Circuit Court to the June Term A. D. 1893.

J. A. Bryson vs. Emma A. Hamand and John Hamand, Attachment.

It appearing from the affidavit of the plaintiff now on file in my office that the above named defendants, Emma A. Hamand and John Hamand, are not residents of the State of Illinois, but that the residence of each of said persons is Stuttgart, in the State of Arkansas, public notice is hereby given to said Emma A. Hamand and John Hamand that J. A. Bryson, the plaintiff, has sued out an attachment at the suit of himself against the lands and tenements, rights and chattels of the said Emma A. Hamand and John Hamand, from the Circuit Court of the County of Macon, for the sum of ninety dollars and eighteen cents, and the said suit is now pending and undecided in the said court, and unless you, the said Emma A. Hamand and John Hamand, shall personally be and appear before the said circuit court of the County of Macon, at a term thereof to be holden at the court house in the city of Decatur, in said county, commencing on the 5th day of June A. D. 1893, and within the time limited by law and the rules of said court, interpose a plea or had and defend the said suit, judgment will be entered against you and the estate attached as the property of said Emma A. Hamand, to wit, the undivided one-fifth interest in the east half of the northeast quarter of section twenty two and the west half of the northwest quarter of section twenty three in township seventeen north, range two east, of the third principal meridian, in Macon County, Illinois, will be sold to satisfy said judgment and the costs of this proceeding.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.

Dated May 13th, 1893
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RAILROAD TIME TABLES.

In effect May 14, 1893.

WABASH.

FROM ST. LOUIS.		FROM ST. LOUIS.	
No. 10 Pass	8 45 p m	No. 8 Pass	6 30 a m
No. 4 Pass	1 05 a m	No. 2 Pass	4 15 a m
No. 44 Pass	10 15 a m	No. 42 Pass	4 25 a m
No. 62 Pass	10 10 p m	No. 46 Pass	4 00 p m
No. 2 Pass	1 15 p m	No. 6 Pass	3.40 p m

FROM QUINCY AND KANSAS CITY.		TO QUINCY AND KANSAS CITY.	
No. 42 Pass	10 10 p m	No. 43 Pass	4.20 p m
No. 44 Pass	10 50 a m	No. 45 Pass	3.00 p m
No. 6 Pass	6 17 a m	No. 5 Pass	9 27 p m
No. 8 Acc	7 00 p m	No. 47 Acc	6 45 a m
No. 70 Freight	1 55 a m	No. 71 Freight	12 45 p m

FROM TOLEDO & DETROIT.		TO TOLEDO & DETROIT.	
No. 43 Pass	3.00 a m	No. 44 Pass	6.35 a m
No. 45 Pass	1 45 p m	No. 46 Pass	11 15 a m
No. 41 Pass	9 50 p m	No. 42 Pass	10 15 p m
No. 47 Pass from Bement	10 30 a m	No. 48 Pass to Bement	5.15 p m

FROM CHICAGO		TO CHICAGO	
No 3 Pass	4 05 a m	No 2 Pass	12 35 a m
No. 5 Pass	1 35 p m	No 4 Pass	12 10 p m
No 1 Pass, except Sunday	8 50 p m	No 6 Pass, except Sunday	6 55 a m
No 45 pass daily	3 45 p m	No 44 pass daily	11 05 a m

ILLINOIS CENTRAL.

NORTH.		SOUTH.	
No 118 (Diamond Special)	1 55 a m	No. 117 (Diamond Special)	3.35 a m
No 112 mail	8 25 a m	No. 113 mail	10.25 a m
No. 102 accom	2 50 p m	No 103 accom	1.20 p m
No. 116 pass	9 00 p m	No 193 way freight	6.00 a m
No. 114 way ft	3 20 p m	No. 701 (Havana Limited) arrives	10.35 a m
No. 705 (Havana Limited) arrives	3.15 p m		

INDIANAPOLIS, DECATUR & WESTERN.

ARRIVE.		LEAVE.	
No. 1 Pass	2 20 p m	No 2 Pass	11 15 a m
No. 3 Pass	3.55 a m	No 4 Pass	10.30 p m
No. 5 Freight	9 00 a m	No 6 Freight	6.30 p m
No. 13 Freight	8 00 p m	No 10 Freight	4.30 p m

PEORIA, DECATUR & EVANSVILLE.

NORTH.		SOUTH.	
No 2 Pass	8 10 p m	No 1 Pass	11.25 a m
No 4 Pass	5 55 a m	No 3 Pass	10.15 p m
No 29 Pass, Sunday only	7 50 a m	No 31 Pass, Sunday only	3 00 p m
No. 11 Freight	10 45 a m	No 31 Freight	2.00 p m

VANDALIA LINE.

EAST		WEST	
No. 2 Pass	3.20 p m	No 1 Pass	11.20 a m
No. 4 Pass	7.00 a m	No. 3 Pass	7.05 p m
No. 6 Pass	10.00 a m	No. Pass	2.30 p m

WANTED SOLICITORS

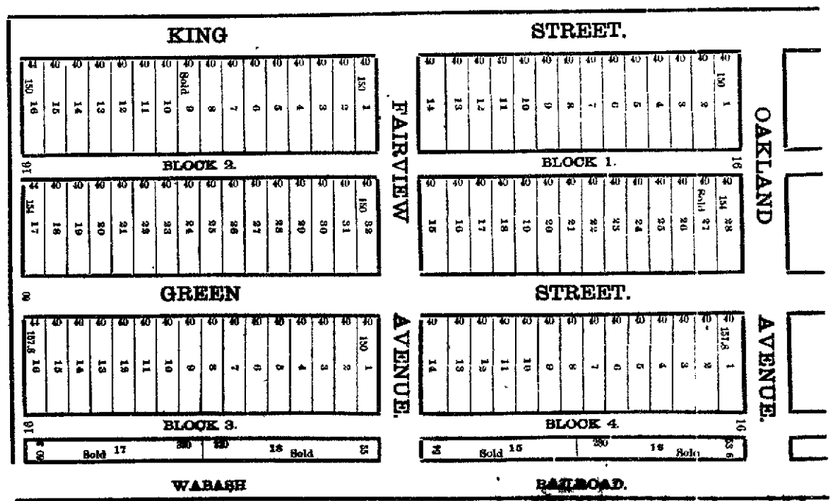
to solicit for the Official Directory and Reference Book of the World's Columbian Exposition. Liberal pay to live men. Exclusive territory. Sample [illegible] price, pays good commission. Beautifully illustrated. Sells at this time and will sell [illegible] territory given. Send for handsome descriptive circular. W. R. CONKEY CO. Publishers, Chicago.

PUBLIC LAND SALE.

I will, as the attorney in fact of Matilda J. Moore, on WEDNESDAY, THE 24th DAY OF MAY, 1893, commencing at 10 o'clock a. m., sell at public sale the beautiful addition, SOLANA PLACE, except six lots, which have been already sold. There are 88 lots in this addition to be sold. Located on high and dry land just west of Oakland Avenue and between the Wabash Railway and King street. The considerations which determine the value of residence property are the nearness to the business center, character of neighborhood and healthiness of location. All these essentials are to be found in Solana Place It is no further from business than Pugh street, the Jasper Street school, or Oakland Park. It is eight blocks nearer than the outskirts of the city on the north. It is just across the railroad from the northwest corner of West Park Addition, which sold off and built up rapidly. It is two blocks west of Bellevue Place, which was all sold out in less than two weeks. It adjoins Park Place, and is sure to sell fast. The neighborhood is of high character and the houses bespeak the character. The city is already built up to it, no fields intervening. The land slopes to the south and west. The drainage is perfect. No possibility of making a mistake. Buy and double your money. A street railway is promised within two blocks of this addition. The gravel road insures good driving all the year round, because it extends to the paved streets.

This valuable addition was platted and laid out in lots, blocks, streets and alleys last fall, and the owner has now decided to sell it. Here is a bargain for the parties lucky enough to get it. Here they can double their money long before the last payment becomes due.

SOLANA PLACE.



The above is a plat of the addition and shows the lots sold, and is now on record.

TERMS OF SALE—I will first receive bids on each lot separate, and then will receive bids on each block separate, and then will offer it as a whole, and if the bids for all exceeds the combined separate bids, it will be sold in a body, and if not the separate bids will be accepted. Purchasers will pay one-third cash on day of sale, and one-third in one year, and one-third in two years with 7 per cent. interest per annum. A discount of 6 per cent on all amounts paid on day of sale above one-third will be given. Sale will be on the premises west of city. Come and bid, and buy and get rich. Sale commencing at 10 o'clock a. m. Wednesday, May 24th. For any further information call on me at my office over J. Millikin & Co.'s Bank.

I. D. WALKER,

Attorney in Fact for Matilda J. Moore.

OTTENHEIMER & CO.

MEN'S NEW SUITS

Just received. New lot of Light-Colored Homespun Cheviots at $10 and $12, cut long, in single-breasted Sack Suits.

❀ OUR LINE OF ❀

FINE + SUITS,

In Cutaways and Double-Breasted Sacks---assortment is large. Lots of New Goods to show. Suits for Large Men and Small Men. Can fit anybody, and have all goods altered to fit free of cost.

OTTENHEIMER & CO.,

The Leaders in Clothing, Hats and Furnishings,

MASONIC TEMPLE BLOCK, CORNER WATER AND WILLIAM STREETS.

✆ TELEPHONE 182.

KNOWLEDGE IS POWER.

Consult an Eminent Specialist Now Before It is Too Late---A Month May Place You Beyond Reach of a Cure.

A Consultation Will Cost You Nothing.

DR. A. C. FRUTH,

The Celebrated Specialist,

Who has created such a sensation in and around Chicago, by curing diseases that almost baffled the medical fraternity of the country. He will visit the

ST. NICHOLAS HOTEL

DECATUR,

Thursday, June 1,

Returning every month to remain one day during the year.

Dr. Fruth has been connected with the largest hospital in the country, and has no superior in diagnosing and treating diseases and deformities. He will give $50 for any case that he cannot tell the disease and where located in five minutes. He will return to Decatur every month this year to remain one day.

Treats all curable medical and surgical diseases, acute and chronic catarrh, diseases of the eye, ear, nose, throat and lungs, dyspepsia, Bright's disease, diabetes, kidneys, liver, bladder, chronic, female and sexual diseases. Epilepsy or fits cured. A positive guarantee.

YOUNG AND MIDDLE AGED MEN

Suffering from the effects of YOUTHFUL ERRORS, producing blotches, debility, nervousness, dizziness, confusion of ideas, aversion to society, defective memory, emissions and impotency, which unfit the victims for business or marriage, are permanently cured by remedies not injurious.

Blood and Skin Diseases

and complications, such as sore throat, falling of the hair, pain in the bones, eruptions, etc., are perfectly eradicated without using mercury or other injurious drugs. Urinary and Kidney troubles are speedily cured by treatment that has never failed. He undertakes no incurable cases, but cures thousands given up to die. Remember the date and come early, as his rooms are always crowded wherever he stops

CONSULTATION FREE.

Correspondence solicited, and confidential.

☞In all cases of Kidney disease bring a sample of urine for chemical and microscopical examination. Address

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172 Oakwood Boulevard, Chicago Ill.

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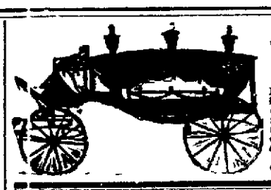

J. B. BULLARD,

FUNERAL DIRECTOR,

Has removed from Masonic Temple Block in Syndicate Block, North Main street, where everything pertaining to the funeral business is furnished and attended to the highest style of the art. Calls night or day, will receive prompt attention. In connection a receiving vault.

Residence—252 West William street. Residence Telephone 128, Office 128

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Saves Heat, Patience and Fuel.

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LATEST STYLE SPRING SUITS,

In Double-Breasted Cutaways and Sacks.
All the Newest Patterns.

Latest Spring Full Dress Suits.
Latest Styles in Hats.

●LATEST STYLES IN TIES,●

One of the Largest Lines to select from ever offered to the trade.

See our Fine Line of Men's, Boys' and Children's Clothing

GEO. W. JONES & CO.,

Four Doors West of Post Office.

HOSIERY.

All sizes Children's Rib Hose for 10c, worth 15c.
Special Sale on Ladies' Hose—all colors.

CORSETS.

See our 50c Corset, worth 75c.
We have the best stock of Corsets in Decatur.

UNDERWEAR

Children's Long and Short Sleeve Gauze Vest, 13c to 25c.
Special Sale on Ladies' Swiss Rib Underwear, 7½c, 15 & 25c.
Men's French Balbriggan Underwear for 50c, worth 75c.

SHIRTS.

We show the Best Line of Negligee Shirts at 50c, 75c and $1.00. You can save 10 to 15 per cent. by trading with us. Sale on UMBRELLAS—All warranted.

●ANTHONY & WEBB, 135 East Main Street,●

Agents for the Jaskson Corset Waist.

DAILY REPUBLICAN.

SATURDAY EVE., MAY 20, 1893.

Bread Is Made of Flour.

All flour will not make the best bread. If you want the *Best Bread* buy the Best Flour. Your grocer will get it for you. It is branded PILLSBURY'S BEST, and is made from wheat grown in the United States of America.

●CLOYD,●

THE PEOPLE'S GROCER,
144 East Main Street,
IS THE AGENT.

LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

DREW & SON, tailors.

READ Anstead's adv—first page.

"IRIS" at the Grand Monday night.

CHILDREN'S laxative syrup at Irwin's.

TEETH, $7—Hoskins & Moore, dentists

TRY Red Messina Nectar at Dawson's.

SWIM at the Nat. It will be open to-night.

You can get the finest Ice cream soda at Irwin's fountain.

THE Nat will be open this evening at Riverside Park. Go down on the cars and take a swim.

WALL PAPER and window shades at Conklin & Housum's, in Library Block.

VEGETABLES and berries in season at Philip Kemper's grocery store, 757 North Water street.

DON'T buy a Baby Carriage until you have seen the elegant line at Bachman Bros. & Martin's. a5-d&wtf

THE Rev. W. F. Black, of Chicago will deliver the address on July 4th at Tuscola, his former home.

Piles of people have piles, but DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve will cure them. W. F. Neisler.

TELEPHONE to John I. Hanks, 143 South Water street for family groceries and delicious strawberries.

JOHN YOUNG, at the REPUBLICAN office is the Decatur agent for the Remington typewriter. Call for catalogues and prices. dtf

THE art show will leave South Water street to-night, and no more will we hear the din of that automatic piano, operated by a weight.

The Pride of Decatur,
WHITE LOAF FLOUR,
The Blue Ribbon brand.

DEWITT'S Witch Hazel Salve causes wounds to heal rapidly, purifies and cleanses obstinate sores and is a well known cure for piles.

THE C. B. Prescott music house on North Water street is headquarters for standard musical instruments. Step in and see the variety of pianos and organs—all firstclass.

ROOMS for rent in Gallagher Block, third floor, single or in suite. Prices, $5, $8 and $10 per month. Apply to Aaron Smink, agent, 146 East Main street may3-dtf

ONE week from Sunday the Forepaugh show will arrive in Decatur to erect big tents on the race track grounds, where the show will be given May 29th.

THE other day a man said: "I'm as bilious as I can be." His friend replied: "Take DeWitt's Little Early Risers, these little pills cured me." W. F. Neisler.

MISS MARION E. KELLEY will receive pupils in voice culture and pianoforte at her music room on East North street, at the "Roby," after May 1. apr26-d1m

THE Modern Woodman will attend services in a body at the Presbyterian church Sunday evening Rev. Penhallegon will give an address on "A Mysterious Tree in the Wilderness."

ON Memorial Day, Hon W. J. Calhoun, of Danville, said to be one of the most brilliant orators in the eastern part of Illinois, will deliver the address at Tuscola.

Use Shellabarger's
WHITE LOAF FLOUR
It is the best

REMEMBER that Bachman Bros. & Martin Co. still lead in Baby Carriages. See their new li. of latest designs. a5-d&wtf

THE Bank of Newman, it is said, will be the temporary loser to the extent of $3,000 by the Capitol Bank at Indianapolis last week. It will not lose the amount, it is claimed, as the Indianapolis concern will soon resume business.

BLUE GRASS Carriage Shop, one block east of Shellabarger's mill, Cerro Gordo street, has a fine line of Surreys, Buggies, Road and Spring Wagons. Do a general line of repairing, repainting, overhauling, &c. Come and see this line of new work and get rock bottom prices. april7-d&wtf

AT the Jasper street crossing of the Wabash road last evening, Dottie Bivans, aged 13, was knocked down by a moving car, and would have been killed but for the prompt action of Yardmaster Hargraves, who was near at hand. He rushed forward and pulled Dottie out of danger. It was a close shave.

"THE flowers that bloom in the Spring" are not more vigorous than those persons who purify their blood with Ayer's Sarsaparilla. The fabled Elixir Vitæ could scarcely impart greater vivacity to the countenance than this wonderful medicine.

ON account of Fallon Bros.' circus the I. C. R. R. will sell excursion tickets, Decatur to Pana and return, on May 27, at $1.30, good to return until May 29. For tickets call on T. Peniwell, Library Block, or C. O. Judson, Agent, Union depot. 2t

YESTERDAY W. J. Huff, of the Huff Bros. Lumber Company, was caught on the Morgan street crossing of the Wabash road. He was seated in a buggy, and the rig was struck by a string of box cars pushed by a switch engine. The buggy was demolished, and Mr. Huff escaped by making a quick jump. The damage is about $100.

MISS HELEN CALHOUN, stenographer and typewriter, graduate of the Decatur Business College, can be found at her desk in the Columbia Clothing Company's business office, No. 114 South Water street, ready to do short hand and Remington typewriting work on short notice at reasonable figures. Will call at business houses and offices to take dictation, if desired.

VICARIOUS SUFFERING.

A Tree Made to Bear the Ills of a Human Being.

J. D. Perkins chopped down a red oak tree of about sixty years' growth, near Fairmount, in Vermilion county, a few days ago. He found in the heart of the tree a lock of blood red human hair in an auger hole and a wooden pin driven in against it; the outside had grown over the pin. No doubt this lock of hair had been cut from a child troubled with phthisis, and fastened in the tree. It used to be thought a sure cure of phthisis to stand a child beside a tree, bore a hole at its exact height, cut out a lock of its hair, put in the hole and drive a wooden pin hard in upon the hair. When the child grew above the hole in the tree the phthisis was left in the tree; the child went free and the poor tree wheezed and cracked in the wind the remainder of its life.

WILL BE A FINE CORNER.

The Linn & Scruggs Block to Be Enlarged—Figuring on Plans.

There is a prospect that in the near future Mr. Orlando Powers will have the Linn & Scruggs Dry Goods and Carpet company building at the corner of East Main and Water streets enlarged to a three-story structure. The improvement has been in contemplation for some years, and now W. O. McNabb, the architect, is figuring on plans and the probable cost. It is the purpose of the dry goods firm to occupy the first and second floors, and also the basement as at present. The interior arrangements will be altered and fashioned to suit the firm.

The third floor will probably be occupied by Cœur de Leon Lodge, No. 17, Knights of Pythias.

After the $50 Prize.

Mr. Tom Peniwell, the up-town ticket agent for the Illinois Central Railroad company, is after a $50 cash prize offered to the local agent on the line of the road who will sell the greatest number of World's Fair admission tickets. The award will be made at the close of the exhibition. Mr. Peniwell has an unlimited number of admission tickets to sell and would be pleased to have all Decatur people going to the fair call on him at his office in Library Block and secure tickets before leaving for Chicago. The admission tickets have no connection with the railway fare. It is a side enterprise on the part of Mr. Peniwell. He is after the $50, and if the people going to the show will call on him for tickets they will avoid possible trouble and confusion on reaching the gates. Tickets are sold at 50 cents each. Think of Peniwell before you leave for Chicago, and buy all the tickets you will require.

Death of Mrs. John Stabler.

The many friends of Mrs. John Stabler will regret to learn of that estimable lady's death this morning at 12:30 o'clock at her home No. 441 South Cree street, of blood poisoning, aged 28 years. Mrs. Stabler is survived by a husband and three children, one boy and two girls. They are Earle, aged 6 years; Celia aged 4 years and an infant daughter aged 22 months. Mrs. Stabler has been ill for several weeks and her dangerous condition has been recognized from the first. She received the care of the best physicians and the constant attention of her husband and friends. The time for the funeral has not been set.

Anchor Club.

The Misses Lehman entertained the members of the Anchor club and their friends last Thursday evening at their home on West Wood street. Beautiful souvenirs of lilies of the valley were presented each guest. Progressive whist was played till 11 o'clock, when refreshments were served. Those present were Misses Richardson, Mina Nicholson, Clara Weyl, Ella McRoberts, Minnie Crane, Emma Weigand, Mina Thompson, Etta Sherman, Nettie Stumpf, Grace Hutchison, and Messrs. Walter Boggs, W. B. Kellogg, C. Dresbach, Dr. Collins, Davis, Frank Ware, H. Kizer, R. Weigand.

Bishops of the United Brethren.

The United Brethren conference re-elected the Rev. Jonathan Weaver, D. D., of Dayton, O., Bishop Emeritus. The Rev. Nicholas Castle, D. D., of Elkhart, Ind., the Rev. E. B. Kephart, D. D., LL D., of Johnstown, Pa., and the Rev. J. W. Holt, D. D., of Woodbridge, Cal., were re-elected bishops. The Rev. Geo. Funkhouser, D. D., president of Union Biblical Seminary, of Dayton, Ohio, was elected bishop but declined, and amid a storm of nays the conference adjourned for dinner.

A Splendid Social.

At their hall in Court House block last evening the society of Good Templars gave a very pleasant sociable, which was largely attended by the members and friends. The following program was rendered:

Music.....Decatur Mandolin Club
Vocal Solo.....Miss Emma Pahmeyer
Recitation.....Mr. Bivans

After the program a sumptuous supper was served. The Opera House orchestra furnished music throughout the evening.

He May Be On the Force.

Sheriff Peri is in receipt of a full description of W. H. Cochran, of Brooklyn, N. Y., who has wandered away from his home at Brooklyn, N. Y. His mother offers a reward of $50 for information that will lead to the location of her son. He is 5 feet 9 inches tall, weighs 135 pounds and is 30 years old. He left his home March 24th last. Possibly Cochran may show up as one of the 6-9 fellows on the new police force. If you locate him you will get $50.

Gave Bail.

W. H. Schureman, the Normal banker who closed the Exchange Bank last Monday, was arrested on five different warrants for embezzlement. He went to jail refusing to accept bail. Later he accepted bail in the sum of $4000 for his appearance for trial. The total assets are $100,513.97, liabilities, $101,216.05. Possibly Schureman will settle at 60 cents on the dollar.

Under Arrest.

Harmon McIntyre is under arrest at Dalton City, charged with having made a criminal assault upon Miss Cass, aged 17, daughter of Dr. Cass. The examination of McIntyre is set for May 30th before Justice Combest.

Hot Weather

will soon be here and we are prepared for it with a full line of Alaska refrigerators, water coolers, water filters and everything necessary to make the kitchen cool. [illegible]

WOMEN AT THE FAIR.

Chicago Evening Journal.

Womanhood in its sweetness was seen at the World's Fair yesterday afternoon. It was the occasion of the reception of the Board of Lady Managers of the Columbian Exposition to the Congress of Representative Women at the Woman's Building, from 3 to 5 o'clock.

It was the first distinctively social event that has taken place at the Exposition, and no pains were spared to make the occasion a memorable one. The entire building was thrown open and was handsomely decorated with flowers.

Theodore Thomas had prepared a special musical program, and the exercises were opened with an overture by Weber, after which Mrs. Potter Palmer delivered the address of welcome. Responses were made by Mrs. Charles Henrotin on the part of the congresses, and by Mrs. Stephenson on the part of the Daughters of the Revolution. The fourth number on the program consisted of four pieces of ballet music by Rubenstein to which many a heel beat a responsive echo. Miss Marian Carpenter, a talented young violinist, followed with a solo, after which Miss Buckley sang Mrs. Julia Ward Howe's "Battle Hymn of the Republic." The musical exercises were concluded with a Hungarian rhapsody by the orchestra.

Shortly before 5 o'clock a reception and tea was given in the new restaurant in the Woman's Building, which was opened for the first time to-day. All the china ware of this restaurant was selected by the members of the Board of Lady Managers.

From 5 to 6 o'clock Miss Marcia Louise Gould, president of the Woman's Board of Illinois, and the ladies associated with her threw open the doors of the woman's room in the Illinois building and held an informal reception for the distinguished guests.

Foster Pupils' Recital.

Prof. O. A. Foster was the host last evening at his conservatory of music in the Dr. Waltz building on North Main street. Six of his more advanced pupils gave a piano recital which was heard with pleasure by a large audience. The programme was as follows:

(a.) Vues Bohemienne.....Sherwood
(b.) Wiegenlied.....Grahams
Deana Buckingham.
(a.) Tanzwise.....Myer Helmund
(b.) Romance.....Longo
Grace Hamsher.
(a.) Mazurka.....Phelps
(b.) Gypsy Dance.....Smith
Jessie Merriweather.
(a.) Barcarole.....Godard
(b.) Capricolo.....Game
Nellie Pratt.
(a.) Consolation.....Chopin
(b.) Rondo Capricioso.....Mendelssohn
Jessie Montgomery.
(a.) Berceuse.....Longo
(b.) Valse de Concert.....Wieniawski
Nellie Moore.

Romantic.

Geo. F. Mitchell, of Indianapolis, a young actor who has been taking the cure for the liquor habit at Tuscola, was married on Wednesday of last week to a Miss Etta Jeffries, of Decatur, who, it is alleged, was a ballet girl in the Ali Baba show that exhibited in Decatur the day before. The newly-married couple returned to Tuscola last night and stayed at the Cook House until Sunday, when they left for Indianapolis. The groom is said to have recently inherited a fortune, which, judging from his swell appearance on the streets, he will have no difficulty in disposing of.—*Tuscola Journal.*

Haworth Block for Sale.

Notice is hereby given that the property known as Haworth Block, at the corner of North Park and Water streets, in the city of Decatur, is for sale upon the following terms: One-third cash, the balance of the purchase price to be paid in five equal installments, payable on or before one, two, three, four and five years from date of sale, with interest at six per cent. per annum, payable annually. Sealed bids for said property will be received by the president and cashier of the Decatur National Bank up to and including the 31st day of May, A. D. 1893. By order of the Board of Directors of the Decatur National Bank.

may16-tf E. H. ROBY, Trustee.

At Elkhart.

John A. Simpson, of Lincoln, has been awarded the contract to erect a fine store building for John P. Gillett, at Elkhart, at a cost of $7,000. Three large store rooms with plate-glass fronts below and a lodge room and the library room above, with ante rooms. The library is the gift of Mrs. Gillett as the promised reward for continuing Elkhart as a temperance town. The Knights of Pythias and the Odd Fellows will use the lodge room.

Catarrh Cannot be Cured

with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a blood or constitutional disease, and in order to cure it you must take internal remedies. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrh Cure is not a quack medicine. It was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years, and is a regular prescription. It is composed of the best tonics known, combined with the best blood-purifiers, acting directly on the mucous surfaces. The perfect combination of the two ingredients is what produces such wonderful results in curing Catarrh. Send for testimonials, free. F. J. CHENEY & Co., Props., Toledo, Ohio.

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Solana Place.

Public sale of lots on Wednesday, May 24, at Solana Place, west of city. These living trees on every lot; the finest residence lots in any part of city. Go out Wednesday and buy. Sale commences at 10 o'clock. 18-d6

1100 In Use.

We have placed in Decatur in the last 12 years over 1100 *Alaska Refrigerators.* Do you want any better proof that they are the best on earth? For sale only by

E. D. BARTHOLOMEW.

You have time to send, time to think but no time to be sick. Send about DeWitt's Little Early Risers and you will think it is better to take these little pills than to suffer from sick headache or constipation. W. F. Neisler.

"OLD HUTCH" COMES BACK.

He Has Returned to the Scene of His Triumphs and Failures.

Chicago Journal.

After an absence of eighteen months, or thereabouts, Benjamin P. Hutchinson, better known as "Old Hutch," has returned to the scenes of his extraordinary success and equally remarkable failures. Mr. Hutchinson has been living in New York since he left the Chicago board of trade the last time.

That his return to Chicago is the result of repeated overtures from his children is altogether probable, though as yet he has made no sign that his spirit has softened in the least, and ever since his arrival in the city last night he has clung to the society of his former cronies about the board. He has not been on 'Change yet, but is seen frequently about his old haunts. A curious crowd has watched his movements, greatly to the old gentleman's displeasure.

Asked about his intentions Mr. Hutchinson said in a bluff manner, but with a tear in his voice, that he didn't know what he should do, and that he had no settled plans.

"But you intend living in Chicago, do you not?" inquired a *Journal* reporter.

"I shan't live anywhere very long," was the abrupt retort.

Mr. Hutchinson looks much as he did before he went away except that he is rather older in appearance and there is the suggestion of increased feebleness in his walk. Friends have stood ready ever since he left to put up $100,000 in cash to establish him in business if he would take the money, but it is not likely that he will care to begin over again. There is not less than $250,000 owing him or by members of the board of trade, much of which is collectable, if he would make a move to get it, some at it in big chunks, and he may made a move in that direction as a starter.

"I'm glad to be back in Chicago again," he said to the reporter, "for it's the city of my adoption. New York is a pretty good sort of place in a metropolitan way, but I don't like it. Down there they will want to find out if you have a dollar and then to try and get it away from you. They are a narrow lot of people, for the most part, and I'm glad to be back among the broad, liberal-minded people of the West. I've got to the top of the hill in life and I want to slide down gradually to the grave. I'm leaving all the fuss now to the young fellows."

Alaskan Views.

Last evening there was a large attendance at the sociable and entertainment given at Grace M. E. church. A special feature of the evening was a magic lantern exhibition given by Professor Henderson, who gave many of the photographs taken in Texas, Mexico, California and Alaska by Fred Shellabarger on his recent tour. The pictures were fine and all were seen with pleasure. Refreshments were served in the lecture room. The proceeds are to be used for the benefit of the Sunday school in adorning the room.

Horses Wanted.

I will be at the old stand on North Church St., Decatur, Ill., on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, May 23 to 25. Will buy horses for the New England market. Want some good drivers and matched carriage horses, from 900 to 1200 pounds, and from 5 to 8 years old. Highest market price will be paid.

19-d5wlt EDWIN PRATT.

Monuments.

W. H. Grindol & Son, corner of East Main and Franklin streets, have a large stock of very fine granite and marble monuments and head stones on hand; also a very fine line of iron reservoir vases for cemetery purposes. Call and examine their stock; you will find it the best and cheapest in the city. april 7-d2m

30 Days.

We make the statement boldly that the *Alaska* is the only *cold, dry air refrigerator* on the market. Try it for 30 days, if not satisfactory, money refunded.

E. D. BARTHOLOMEW.

New Jewelry Store.

We have opened a jewelry department in which we have a fine line of Jewel gasoline and Jewel gas stoves. Call and see them.

LYTLE & ECKELS HARDWARE Co.

Rubber Bottom.

Black canvas, first quality shoes—Youth's 50 cents, boy's 60 cents, men's 75 cents at Powers' Shoe Store. 19-d6

Buggies, Buggies, Buggies.

When you want a Buggy, Surrey or Phaeton come and look through our stock. We have some of the best buggies made and our prices are the lowest.

THE SPENCER & LEHMAN CO.

NATHANIEL S. BERRY of Bristol, N. H., is the oldest living ex-governor in the United States. He was born Sept. 1, 1796, and after holding several minor offices was elected governor in 1861, being re-elected to succeed himself.

Guaranteed Cure.

We authorize our advertised druggist to sell Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, upon this condition. If you are afflicted with a Cough, Cold or any Lung, Throat or Chest trouble, and will use this remedy as directed, giving it a fair trial, and experience no benefit, you may return the bottle and have your money refunded. We could not make this offer did we not know that Dr. King's New Discovery could be relied on. It never disappoints. Trial bottles free at King & Wood's drug store. Large size 50c and $1.00. bm

M. DE GIERS, the great Russian diplomatist and foreign minister, is now a bent old man, his pale, thin face surrounded by a beard of snowy whiteness. When he walks he leans heavily on his secretary's arm and steps with the greatest care.

A FAMOUS MEDICINE.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has become famous for its cures of throat and lung diseases. It is intended especially for coughs, colds croup and whooping cough, and is the most effectual remedy known for these diseases. Mr. C. B. Mein, of Union City, Pa., says: "I have a great sale on Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. I warrant every bottle and have never heard of one failing to give entire satisfaction." 50 cent bottles for sale by W. F. Neisler, Library Block Druggist. d&w

CITY LIBRARIAN JOHN TAYLOR of Bristol, Tenn., who died a *few* days ago, learned the trade of a blacksmith when a youth, and elevated himself by his own talents and energy. He was an authority on historical and antiquarian subjects.

DEPRIVED of health there is no pleasure in living. DeWitt's Little Early Risers are pills that produce health. They aid digestion regulate the bowels and cure constipation. W. F. Neisler.

Tan, Heliotrope,
French Terra Cocta,
Smoked Pearl.

LATEST COLORS IN INGRAINS, with borders of 20 and 30 inch Frieze to match. *Do not be misled—they have not gone out of style.*

CONKLIN & HOUSUM,
+++ Wall Paper, +++
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Dry Goods.

As our Saturday Night Sales have been a success and to-day looks fair for a big day's business we propose to make to-night the grandest event of the season. COME EARLY AND SEE FOR YOURSELF.

EVERYTHING AS ADVERTISED.

China silks for waists, 29, 48, 89c.
Handsome wool filled Challies, 19c, worth 25c.
Best standard fancy Calicoes at 6c to-night.
Best French Suitings, 8½, 10, 12½c.
Best French finish cambric Pongee, extra wide, at 12½c
52 inch half bleached Linen Damask 39c, worth 50
60 " " " " " 48c, " 65
72 " " " " " 59c, " 85
Stevens' all linen Crash, 18 inch, 5c, worth 10.
Extra quilt and bleached Sheetings, 19c, worth 25.
3 lots Dress Gingham for to-night only—
One lot 98c, one lot 1 48, one lot 1.98.
Ladies' fast black Hose, 10, 12½, 15, 25c.
Children's fast black hose, 10c, worth 15c.
Best Kid Gloves, black and colors, 89c, worth 1.25.
Iron framed Summer Corsets, 48c, worth 75.
Best unlaundried Shirts in America, 48c, worth 75.
10 doz. Windsor Ties, plaid, plain and fancy, 25c, worth 50c.
Ladies' French Jersey ribbed vests, 10, 15, 25c.

SHOES.

Don't forget that we can save you on any shoes you have to buy for Ladies' and Children's wear.
Ladies' Button Kid Shoes, $1.25, 1.48, 1.98.
Ladies' Oxfords at 98c, $1.25, 1.39 and 1.48 per pair.

CARPET SALE ALL NEXT WEEK.

All Carpets at REDUCED PRICES.

EVERYTHING JUST AS ADVERTISED.
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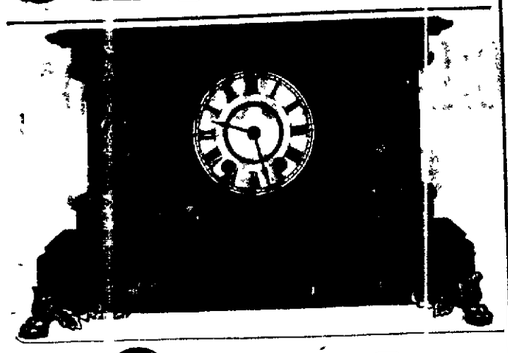

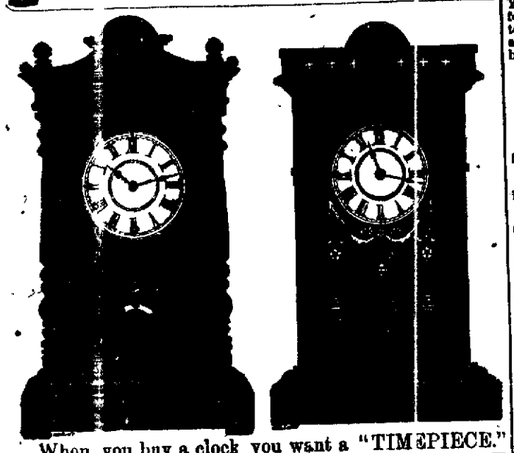

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Others try to see how cheap a clock can be made—Seth Thomas tries to see how good they can be made. His goods cost you less in a stretch of years. We carry his full line.

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If You Do then You are Interested in Refrigerators.

Why You Should Buy a Gurney:

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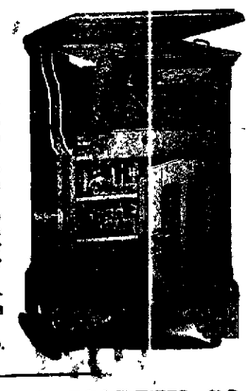
None like it. 10,000 in use. Come and see it.



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SATURDAY EVE., MAY 20, 1893.

ITEMS OF INTEREST.

A New Department.

We wish to call the attention of the purchasing public to the fact that we have opened in our basement a very complete house furnishing goods department. You will find everything here necessary for the culinary department. We propose to make this a feature of our business and place the goods at prices that never before have been equaled in Decatur.

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SMOKE Huffman's Cabaret.

LAXATIVE buttercups at Irwin's.

WHISK BROOMS at Dawson's, formerly Swearingen's.

USE Irwin's harmless headache powders.

CUBANOLA, the leading 5 cent cigar, for sale at Irwin's.

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THE Best Blood Purifier, Armstrong Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla.

THE Grand Opera House cigars, made by Keck & Weigand, are the best in town. mar25dtf

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THOSE Little Rose and Bouquets are he cigars you want. Try them.

COMEDY-DRAMA every night next week at the Grand by the Spooner company.

WALL PAPER and window shades at Conklin & Housum's, in Library Block

PATRONIZE C. N. May, the grocer in Syndicate Block. All orders promptly filled.

BEAUTIFUL new designs in souvenir spoons, tea and coffee sizes, at Otto E Curtis & Bros.'

BUY your parlor suits, couches, easy chairs, etc., at H. Tay's factory, South Water street. may8-d2w

THE F. L Wood residence in Riverside Place is rapidly approaching completion. It is under roof.

HAVE your parlor suits, lounges and couches repaired and recovered at Tay's factory, South Water street. ma8-d2w

FRESH country butter and eggs at lowest prices at C. N. May's grocery store, Syndicate Block.

"FAIR TO LOOK UPON," paper cover, 50 cents, at C. H. Dawson's book store, successor to Robinson.—19-d3t.

YOUR prescriptions will receive prompt and competent attention at Dawson's, formerly Swearingen & Tyler's.

Boom Decatur
by using
White Loaf Flour.

THE electric fans operated by motors are going up about the city in restaurants and saloons. Hot weather is at hand.

SUNDAY school convention to-morrow afternoon at East Park Chapel, East Park Boulevards, beginning at 3:30. All are invited to attend.

FOR carriages, buggies, surreys, road wagons, carts and lawn mowers, call on Geo. S. Durfee & Bro, 158 South Water street, Opera House Block. apr24-d1mo

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WELLS drove or bored, from two to thirty-six inches, walled with either brick or tile. For terms and prices call at C. R. Foster's grocery store, 1075 North Water street. m23-dtf

AT the Anna B. Millikin Home the ladies of the W. C. T. U. will hold a meeting on Sunday afternoon, of which Mrs. Brown will have charge. Mr. Beadles will give the address.

MRS. L. HOLMES MCINTOSH, Sup't.

YESTERDAY Mrs. Dr. T. B. Spaulding traded a lot in the Gulick addition for a lot in Millikin Place, first lot west of the new residence erected by H. C. Anthony. Dr. Spaulding will put up a modern residence on the lot and occupy it.

IF ever a man feels like "a poor worm of the dust," it is when he suffers from that tired feeling. Ayer's Sarsaparilla removes this discouraging physical condition and imparts the thrill of new life and energy to every nerve, tissue, muscle and fibre of the whole body.

CARDS are out announcing the marriage of Dr. C. F. Childs and Miss Florence Brown of Argenta. The ceremony will take place at the residence of the bride's mother, Mrs. J. W. Brown, on Tuesday, May 23, at 2 p. m. J. D. Childs and wife and all the relatives from Decatur will be present.

LAST evening the Christian Endeavor Society of the First Baptist church gave a penny sociable at the home of their pastor, Rev. C. E. Torrey on North Main street. An admission of 10 cents was charged and each person was given one cent change. They then tried to find fifteen objects on the copper cent and wrote the names of the objects on cards which were collected. Many of the guests found the fifteen objects on the penny. During the evening some splendid music was rendered. The members of the society who had the affair in charge felt that it was a great success.

YESTERDAY John I. Pascid swore out a warrant against Lee & Sowders, house movers, charging them with obstructing the streets and endangering life. In moving a house the wire was knocked down which nearly caused the death of Mr. Pascid. The warrant was sworn out under an ordinance saying a person obstructing the streets is liable to the city or private individuals for damages incurred by the obstruction. Mr. Pascid wants it understood that this action is not taken with any malicious intent or to claim damages. He wants it brought before the public so others will be more careful.

A TEXAS steer with hoofs over 18 inches long was shipped through Decatur yesterday for the east, where he will be placed in a museum. The animal was lying down and could not stand on his feet at all. When he walked he did so on his knees, which were thickly padded. The animal was valued at $1,000.

SUNDAY afternoon at 3:30 a township Sunday school convention will be held at the Baptist mission, in East Park Boulevards. An interesting program has been prepared and all are cordially invited to attend.

THE fire department was called to a house at the corner of Hilton and Prairie streets to-day. The gas in a coal stove exploded and alarmed the family and they called the fire department. No damage.

THERE will be unusual interest at Grace M. E. church to-morrow. Rev. Dr. Young, of St. Louis, will preach and Mrs. Cole, of Iowa, will sing.

MANY parties in the city can hardly wait for the Nat to open, and they will be at Riverside to-night in full force all ready to take a swim.

MONDAY evening at Springfield Prof Soldan will be assisted in giving his concert by Milton Lutz and Miss Mae Harwood, of Decatur.

WORK will be commenced next week on the West William street paving.

A RELAY RIDE.

Carrying the Compliments of the Governor of the State of Illinois to the Governor of Indiana.

The relay bicycle ride from Springfield, Ill., to Indianapolis, Ind, carrying a sealed dispatch from Governor Altgeld to Governor Matthews will leave Springfield on Friday morning, May 26th. Wheelmen will leave that city and by relays reach this city the same day between 10 and 11 o'clock and at Lincoln Square they will deliver the message to two Decatur wheelmen, who will transfer it to two more Decatur boys and so on every eight miles until the last two deliver the message to the wheelmen of Danville, who meet the Decatur boys at Tuscola and they in turn transfer it to the Indiana boys at the state line. The Decatur wheelmen who will make the relay ride are ten of Decatur's best and swiftest wheelmen.

A FALL OF TWELVE FEET.

75 World's Fair Women Scared and Seriously Bruised.

[SPECIAL TO THE REPUBLICAN.]

CHICAGO, May 20.—This forenoon a section of flooring forming the entrance to Washington Hall in the Art Institute, where the Woman's Congress auxiliary was being held, gave way, precipitating seventy-five women a distance of twelve feet below. Many were injured, eight severely, but it is thought none fatally

PERSONAL MENTION.

Andy Hill has returned from Chicago.

Gus Ahrens is in Belmont on business.

Adam Imboden is in the city visiting relatives.

Mrs. J. L. Bevans, of Boody, is in the city to-day.

Mr. and Mrs. H. I. Baldwin left to-day for Chicago.

Col. and Mrs. D. H. Conklin have returned from Chicago.

Linn Tinder, of Monticello, is in the city to-day en route to Olney.

The little son of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Wood is reported no better to-day.

Miss Lizzie Bahan has returned from a visit with relatives at Macon, Ill.

Ed F. Wells departed to-day for a business trip through Northern Illinois.

Mrs. C. A. Pollock left to-day for Peru, Ind., where she will visit relatives.

Miss Katie Johns left to-day for Logansport, Ind., where she will visit her parents.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. John Bradshaw, of St. Louis avenue, on Friday, May 26th—a son.

Mrs. E. B. Pratt will return home to-night from Chicago, where she visited her son and daughter.

Thomas Newcomb has returned from Lynn Center, Ill., where his son was recently killed in a wreck.

Will Leiby returned to-day from Stonington, where he went in the interest of the Decatur Cracker Co.

Miss Grace Peniwell and Mrs. C. G. Martin are at Atlanta to-day attending the graduating exercises.

Miss Maud Dill gave a delightful party last evening at her home on North Water street. Refreshments were served.

Rev. J. A. F. King and Abram Kramer returned home this morning from Dayton, Ohio, where they attended the general conference of the United Brethren church.

Miss Josie Sullivan, glove fitter at Anthony & Webb's, with her friend, Miss Katie McGarigle, of Bloomington, leaves to-night for Chicago to visit the World's Fair for a week.

Mrs. H. A. Pennington, Miss Jessie Michael, of Taylorville, Mrs. H. A. Shepherd and Mrs. A. B. Allen, of Forsyth, are in the city visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Long at the Hotel Long.

Mrs. H. G. Masmasters, who has been in the city visiting her parents Major and Mrs. J. C. Badenhausen, departed last night for her home in Chicago accompanied by Miss Grace Masmasters.

Mrs. R. Liddle, who has for the past year been visiting in New York City, Brooklyn and Buffalo, N. Y., has returned and is temporarily stopping at Mrs. Sherrick's. She will remain here during the summer.

Leslie Maffit, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Maffit, who has been seriously ill for several weeks, is really no better. Sunday physicians will perform an operation, in the hope that immediate relief will be secured.

Mrs. Effie B. Kennedy and Mrs. Belle Aldridge went to Chestnut, Ill., this afternoon in response to special invitations received by them to attend a grand entertainment given by Chas. Moore W. R. C. No. 231 at G. A. R. hall to-night.

Mr. Nagely, secretary of the Edna Mining company, goes to Clinton this evening to visit with his parents over Sunday, and will return on Monday morning. As he has a number of engagements it is not policy for him to be away for any length of time.

Mason *Leader*: Dr. William Sturgis, wheeled in his chair by Mr. Peter, was on the streets last Wednesday shaking hands with his old friends. It does the doctor a great deal of good to get out, and he enjoys the fresh air. About two years ago he had a stroke of paralysis, which left him in an almost helpless condition, his lower limbs being entirely paralyzed.

WILLIE NEWCOMB BURIED.

The Father Too Late—The Body Taken Care of by An Uncle—The Stufflebeam Boy.

Thomas Newcomb, whose young son, Willie, was killed in a railroad wreck on the C., B. & Q., at Lynn station in Henry county last Sunday, returned this morning from Rock Island where he had gone to bury the boy. He left here Tuesday night by way of the P., D. & E., and reached Peoria too late for the Rock Island train and consequently did not reach there until 7 o'clock p. m. The body had been held as long as possible and had been buried at 3 o'clock, four hours before the father got there. As stated heretofore in the REPUBLICAN the boy had left home without the knowledge and consent of his parents with Arthur Stufflebeam, son of Mrs. Stufflebeam of North Edward street, and met his death at Lynn a small station about twelve miles southeast of Rock Island.

Mr. Newcomb says the boy's grandparents and an aunt reside in Rock Island, and several days ago the boys appeared at their home where they were taken care of, but they soon after left, going south toward Burlington where Stufflebeam claimed to have relatives. The next heard of them was the accident. It appears they had gone down the road and had taken a contract to unload some coal from the cars, and having completed the work had started back toward Rock Island. The boys were identified by the man for whom they had unloaded the coal and he remembered they had told him they were from Decatur. The Newcomb boy was instantly killed by being crushed under the car as it fell over and the Stufflebeam boy was hit on the back of the head by the end of a beam the same afterwards falling across him, pinning him to the earth. He would have died in a few moments had not some other parties who were on the train lifted the beam off of him. He cannot recover, however, in the judgment of the physicians. His mother is with him doing all she can for him. The Newcomb boy has an uncle, Nick Newcomb, in business at Davenport, who, in reading an account of the wreck, in which it was stated that the name of the boy who was killed was thought to be Willie Newcomb, went down to Lynn on Tuesday and found that the body was that of his nephew. He took the body to Rock Island Wednesday and held it in hope that his parents would get there in time for the funeral, but as they did not come as expected the funeral services were held at 3 o'clock p. m. Wednesday, at St. Joseph's church, and the interment at the cemetery immediately afterwards.

Mrs. Newcomb's neighbors have been very kind to her since her bereavement, and she so much appreciates their kindness and sympathy that she asks the REPUBLICAN to thank them in her behalf.

FAKIRS MEET "UNCLE DICK."

They Load Him Down with Camp Stools and Other Articles of Vertu.

Chicago Tribune.

"Your Uncle Dick" Ogleeby fell into the hands of the Philistines yesterday afternoon. After leaving the Woman's Building he went out of the Sixtieth street exit and started west towards the railroad station. Lining the street on both sides of the sidewalk was an army of fakirs. They were selling everything from peanuts to patent reversible camp chairs that you fold up in a tin tube and put in your pocket. Every one of them seemed to recognize "Uncle Dick." The man with the camp chair rushed out on to the sidewalk and grabbed the venerable statesman by the shoulder.

"Why, how 'dy do, Gov'ner?" he said. "You look just as young as you did 15 years ago. Let me show you one of my patent camp chairs."

And while "Uncle Dick" looked down over his gold-bowed glasses the fakir, still holding him by the coat, pulled strings and pressed springs and gave a thorough demonstration of the wonderful workings of his device to beat one of the World's Fair concessionnaires out of 50 cents a day. He ended up by putting one of the chairs under Uncle Dick's unoccupied arm with the admonition to "take it home to the children."

Other fakirs glib of tongue and equally impudent loaded up the ex-Governor with other wonderful and fearful articles, and when he got to the Sixtieth street station he looked like an animated Christmas tree. In his right hand was a huge bunch of purple pansies, under his arm one of the canned camp chairs, and out of his overcoat pocket protruded crimson and gold guides "explaining all the buildings and everything within and without the World's Fair Grounds."

Picnicing at Rea's Bridge.

Mr. and Mrs. George F. Stott, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Madison, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Long, Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Haigh, Mr. and Mrs. Will Hunter, J. J. Finn, L. W. Cook, Mrs. A. B. Allen, and Mrs. H. A. Shepherd, of Jacksonville, Miss Jessie Michell, of Taylorville, Mrs. H. A. Pennington, of Springfield, Masters Will Shepherd and Fred Stott and Miss Anise Long left to-day for Rea's Bridge, where they will spend the day picnicing and enjoying an outing.

Attention, Woodmen.

All members of 144, M. W. of A., are requested to meet at their hall at 6:45 p. m. Sunday, May 21, to attend services at the Presbyterian church.

B. W. ROBERTS, V. C.
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Solana Place.

Public sale of lots on Wednesday, May 24, at Solana Place, west of city. Three living trees on every lot; the finest residence lots in any part of city. Go out Wednesday and buy. Sale commences at 10 o'clock. 18-d6

Special Music.

Program of orchestra for Sunday evening at Congregational church:

Medley of Gospel Hymns.....*Arr by R. Walter*
"Heimweh" (clarinet solo).....*Jungman*
"Saviour, Source of Every Blessing"....*Wallace*
Postlude.....*E. Beyer*

G. A. R. Committees.

All members of committees for Memorial Day are requested to meet at the office of J. A. Reeve & Co., in the Gallagher Block, Monday evening, May 22 at 7:30 o'clock for conference.

Rubber Bottoms.

Black canvas, first quality shoes—Youth's 50 cents, boy's, 60 cents, men's 75 cents at Powers' Shoe Store. 19-d6

SOME INTERESTING FACTS.

Gleaned From Conversation With Contractor Paul Smith of This City.

Mr. Paul Smith, of 840 West William street, who returned from the World's Fair at Chicago last week, is quite enthusiastic in his praises of the enormity of the fair. He states that if one can imagine the enormous size of that cheese on exhibition you can conceive some idea of the immense proportions of the World's Fair. This immense cheese was moulded in a large tank made of boiler iron, with a circumference 28 feet, and 6 feet in height. It required 200 tons of pressure and weighs 22,000 pounds. It is on exhibition by the Canadian government which recently sold it to a wealthy Englishman, who at the close of the fair will divide it into equal parts and distribute it among his employes. It was made from the milk of 16,000 cows at one milking, and the milk weighed 250,000 pounds; 2,000 dairy maids were employed to do the milking. Mr. Smith states that everything is in proportion to the big cheese, and those who have seen the fair can vouch for this fact.

Mr. Smith had not been in the city of Chicago for 32 years. It was in the summer of 1861 that he was mustered into Co. D, First Regiment United Mechanic Fusileers, a regiment consisting solely of mechanics, and organized to build bridges and barracks. They constructed the barracks at Camp Douglas in '61. They received $1 a day when working and 50 cents when doing soldier duty. They proved to be too expensive and were mustered out in 1862. He visited the old camp at 34th street and Wabash avenues, and at once recognized the grounds. The grounds are yet vacant. His regiment was the only one ever organized under that name. Of the 1200 who formed that regiment he does not know of but one besides himself who is living to-day; that man resides in Lafayette, Ind. He also stated that when he was in Chicago, 32 years ago, Lincoln Park was a city of the dead and consisted of 80 acres; now it is a city park, one of the most beautiful in the country.

Mr. Smith also states that board and lodging is much cheaper on the south and west sides and that there will be no trouble about getting either.

THE CLOSE

Of the Exposition at 147 South Water Street.

Truly the people of Decatur have been benefitted in a scientific way during the brief period that Prof. Bergman's wonderful automatic exposition has been operating here, and those who have made it a study are sorry that this is the last day. The Swiss Village is without doubt the most wonderful piece of automatic mechanism of the age, eclipsing all automatic works of ancient or modern times. The great German inventor of Baden-Baden spent seventeen years of earnest toil in its production.

There are other attractions in connection with the Swiss Village that in themselves are worth more than the price of admission. The managers are courteous, and they have won a place in the hearts of all our people through their earnest endeavors to make it pleasant and instructive to all.

Suddenly Taken Away.

Miss Myrtle Benton, youngest daughter of R. A. Benton, residing half a mile east of Emery, near Maroa, died very suddenly yesterday at 4 o'clock. She had not been in excellent health for some time, but the past few days had been feeling better than usual. On Thursday she had done a hard day's work, ate a hearty supper, and afterwards walked to Emery on an errand. She retired at the usual hour and slept well until about three o'clock when she was taken suddenly ill. She called her folks, and a telegram was at once sent to Dr. McLean, who arrived there about 5 o'clock, an hour after her death. The doctor thinks the immediate cause of her death was heart failure. Miss Benton was a young lady with a large circle of friends in the community, to whom her death comes as a sad blow. She was in her 21st year, and a father, mother, two brothers and a sister, are bowed down in the deepest sorrow. She was a member of the M. E. church of Emery. Burial at Maroa Sunday at 11 o'clock.

One Dollar for a Dime.

This is the proposition that is made you by Mr. Nagely, secretary of the Edna mine in Colorado, and there is some of the best and most conservative financiers in our city taking from 500 to 2 000 shares, from the fact that they have begun to realize that it is a good thing and just as represented. This is something that is not like a lottery—one thousand chances against you—but in a mining proposition like this there is only one chance in one thousand against you, or nine hundred and ninety-nine for, to one against; and the finest chance on earth for big returns. The stock is going rapidly and Mr. Nagely will close the books in a few days, as the stock is pretty well all taken.

Visited His Wife's Grave.

Thomas Armstrong, a well known citizen and blacksmith of Weldon, and a prominent Sunday school worker, suicided yesterday at Weldon by taking a large dose of strychnine. He visited his wife's grave and immediately after went to a drug store and purchased the drug. It is thought his mind became unbalanced because of the threat of a marble firm to remove the beautiful monument from the grave of his wife if the pay was not forthcoming. He was closely pressed for money, but died insured for $5,000. He was a Mason and Modern Woodman and was a class leader of the M. E. church.

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Sales of Real Estate.

Thomas J. Scroggin to James W. Crawford, the north half of the southwest quarter and the south half of the northwest quarter of 4, 14, 1 east; $12,000.

Andrew J. Wallace to Valentine Snyder, Jr., lots 41 to 62 inclusive in Snyder's addition of outlots to Decatur; $1.

Samuel R. Gher to Bertrand A. Gher, lot 4 in block 5 in Enterprise addition to Decatur; $250.

Chas. T. Haigh to R. W. Chilson, lot 9 in H. S. Evans' subdivision of the northwest quarter of 15, 16, 2 east; $3,500.

W. W. Connard to L. L. Kerns, deed to lot 2, block 1, Wait & Co.'s addition—$1200.

W. C. Burley to Jacob Stahl, deed to tract of land in 1, 16, 3 east—$800.

John P. Auer to Augustus Glatz, deed to lot 9, block 6, H. Robinson's addition—$1800.

A Short Way.

On May 20, 1819, the Savannah, the first steam vessel that crossed the Atlantic, started on her voyage under the U. S. flag, and amidst prophecies of failure and disaster. The swift and magnificent steamers that now "plow the watery waves" are the result of experience, by which we find out a short way by a long wandering. That way is up or down Merchant street, at Ed. Denz & Son's tailoring establishment, where you can order cool summer clothing.

Bad News.

This afternoon a telegram was received from Zanesville, Ohio, stated that Mrs. Celia Shupp-Buchanan, is in a dying condition at her home in that city. Mrs. Buchanan is a daughter of Samuel Shupp and a niece of D. A. Maffit, of this city, and is personally known to many of our citizens. There are no further particulars obtainable.

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THERE are about a dozen Episcopal ministers in different parts of the country who are on the list as applicants for the rectorship of St. John's church, to succeed Rev. M. M. Goodwin, who will go to Ypsilanti, Mich., about July 1st.

M. DE GIERS, the great Russian diplomatist and foreign minister, is now a bent old man, his pale, thin face surrounded by a beard of snowy whiteness. When he walks he leans heavily on his secretary's arm and steps with the greatest care.

THE importance of small things should not be overlooked. Is a pill for sick headache important? Is a pill for biliousness important? Is a pill for constipation important? Then DeWitt's Little Early Risers are important. They are small. W. F. Neisler.

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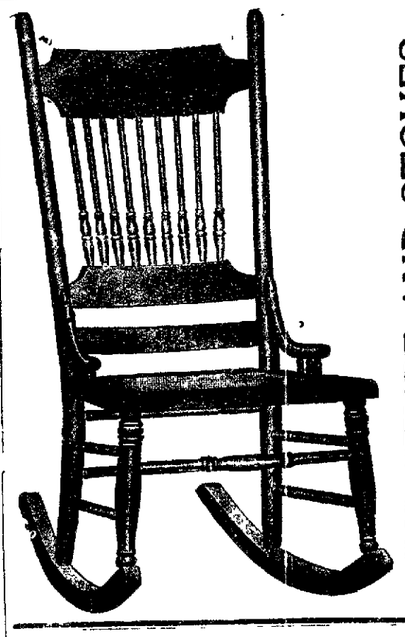
EX-GOV. CAMPBELL declares firmly that he will not be among the Democratic gubernatorial candidate this fall in Ohio, although he is being strongly urged to run.

HENRY M. STANLEY says he has no intention of returning to Africa. He will be a candidate for a seat in the British Parliament at the next election.

THE Duke of Edinburgh wears a gold bangle fastened with a gold lock on his left wrist.

WOOD PUMPS, Chain Pumps, Iron Force Pumps, for sale at Spencer & Lehman's. nov5-d&wtf



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